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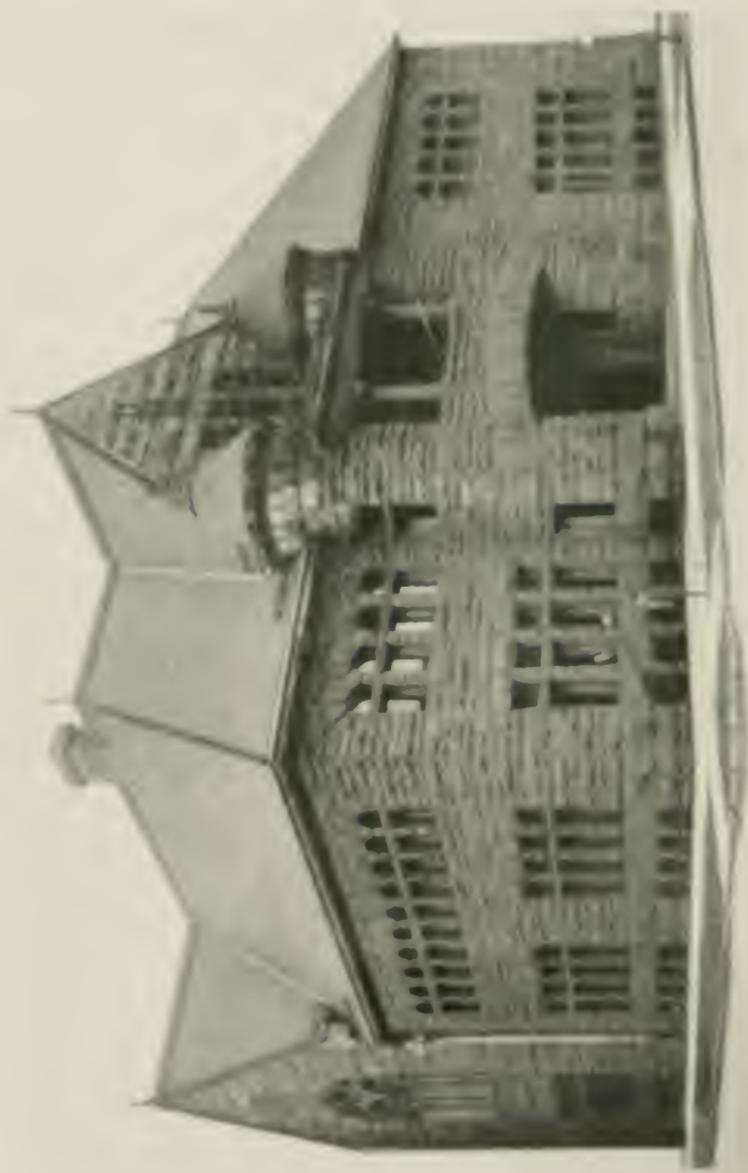
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OUR AIM —

AMERICA FIRST—PATRIOTISM AND PREPAREDNESS.

OUR MISSION —

CHARACTER BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE RULERS OF OUR CITY, STATE AND NATION, PARTICULARLY BY THE ADAPTION OF THE INSTITUTION TO THE INTERESTS OF CHILDREN.

OUR METHOD —

THROUGH OUR EXHIBITS, LECTURES AND PUBLICATIONS TO MAKE THE RESOURCES OF THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY AN ACTIVE, LEAVENING FORCE IN THE WELFARE AND CIVIC MOVEMENTS OF CHICAGO.

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|               |        |
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| Annual        | 25     |

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MONTHLY BULLETIN  
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MUSEUM EQUIPMENT  
MARKING HISTORIC SITES  
NEWSPAPER CASES  
A LARGER BUILDING

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The relics, the paintings, the books and pamphlets of the Society preserve for Chicago its historic background.

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# CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ORGANIZED, APRIL 24, 1856

INCORPORATED, FEBRUARY 7, 1857

BUILDING DEDICATED, NOVEMBER 19, 1868

BUILDING AND COLLECTIONS DESTROYED, OCTOBER 9, 1871

RE-ORGANIZED, 1872

COLLECTIONS DESTROYED, SECOND FIRE, JULY 14, 1874

TEMPORARY BUILDING OCCUPIED, OCTOBER 16, 1877

COLLECTIONS STORED, AND BUILDING REMOVED, 1892

CORNER-STONE OF NEW BUILDING LAID, NOVEMBER 12, 1892

PRESENT FIRE-PROOF BUILDING, ERECTED BY PRIVATE

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DECEMBER 15, 1896

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| 1856-1857 | EXCHANGE BANK BUILDING, SOUTHWEST<br>CORNER CLARK AND LAKE STREETS                      |
| 1857-1858 | RUMSEY BUILDING, 44 AND 46 LA SALLE STREET  |
| 1858-1868 | NEWBERRY BUILDING, NORTHEAST CORNER<br>WELLS AND KINZIE STREETS                         |
| 1868-1871 | SOCIETY'S BUILDING, NORTHWEST CORNER<br>ONTARIO STREET AND DEARBORN                     |
| 1872-1874 | SCAMMON BUILDING, 209 MICHIGAN AVENUE   |
| 1877-1892 | TEMPORARY BUILDING, 142 DEARBORN AVENUE   |
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| JOHN NELSON JEWETT      | 1899-1904 |
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| JONATHAS YOUNG SCAMMON      | 1871-1875 |
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| ELIAS TAYLOR WATKIN   | 1874-1879 |
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Corresponding Member 1878-1897

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AUSTIN, WILLIAM BADES  
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Sustaining Annual Member 1916

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Annual Governing Member 1864-1865

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Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BACON, EDWARD RICHARDSON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BADGER, ALPHEUS C.  
Annual Governing Member 1868  
Contributed \$150 to Building erected 1868

BAILEY, EDWARD PAYSON  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1904  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BAIRD, HENRY SAMUEL  
Corresponding Member 1864-1875

BAIRD, WYLLYS WARNER  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

BAKER, ALFRED LANDON  
Annual Governing Member 1899

BAKER, DAVID JEWETT  
Corresponding Member 1856-1869

BAKER, GEORGE A.  
Corresponding Member 1916

BAKER, GEORGE HALL  
Corresponding Member 1886-1911

BAKER, HOWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BAKER, WILLIAM TAYLOR  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1903  
Contributed \$500 to Building erected 1896

BALL, SIDNEY Y.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BALLARD, ADDISON  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1883

BANCROFT, EDGAR A.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BANCROFT, GEORGE  
Honorary Member 1912-1911

BANSARD, HENRY CLAY  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

BANSFITTER, HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1899-1903

BARBER, COURTESAY  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARBER, FRANKLIN L.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARGE, WILLIAM DAVID  
Annual Governing Member 1910

BARNARD, FREDERICK  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1914

BARNES, CHARLES JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1907

BARNHART, KENNETH  
Annual Governing Member 1913

BARRETT, ALBERT M.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARRELL, FINLEY  
Honorary Life Member 1916-

BARRETT, MARCUS L.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARRETT, SAMUEL E.  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1907  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1896

BARRETT, ALICE D. BRUSH (Mrs. SAMUEL E.)  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARRY, JOHN STETSON  
Corresponding Member 1857-1872

BARRY, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member, 1896-1911  
Honorary Life Member 1911-1912

BARTHOLOMAY, HENRY, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1904

BARTHOLOMAY, MRS. HENRY  
Honorary Life Member 1916-

BARTHOLOMAY, WILLIAM, JR.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BARTHOLOMEW, FREDERICK H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BARTLETT, ADELPHUS CLAY  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1907  
Honorary Life 1907  
Contributed \$1000 to Building erected 1898

BARTLETT, JOHN RUSSELL  
Corresponding Member 1857-1886

BARTON, EDMUND MILLS  
Corresponding Member 1826

BARTON, ENOS MELANCTHON  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1916

BASKIN, OLIVER LAWRENCE  
Corresponding Member 1879

BASS, CLARA F. (MRS. PERKINS)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BASS, PERKINS  
Associate Member 1858-1871  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

BATES, ELI  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

BATES, ONWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BAUMANN, FREDERICK  
Associate Member 1858-1859

BAXTER, DANIEL FRANK  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1868

BAYLEY, EDWIN F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BEACH, MYRON HAWLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1904-1910

BEALE, WILLIAM GERRISH  
Annual Governing Member 1900

BEATTY, W. T.  
Annual Governing Member 1913-1914

BLAUBIEN, FRANK GORDON  
Corresponding Member 1910-

BECKER, BENJAMIN V.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

BECKER, JOHN W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BECKWITH, CHARLES H.  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

BECKWITH, HIRAM WILLIAMS  
Corresponding Member 1879-1900

BEKE, THOMAS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1911

BECKER, JEROME  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1900

BEHR, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1894-

BEERA, JOHN H.  
Corresponding Member 1894-1911

BEHLER, FRANCIS  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

BEFIELD, JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1910

BEAUDIN, JOSEPH C.  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BELL, LAIRD  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BENEDICT, GEORGE M.  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BENNETT, E. L.  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BENTLY, CYRUS  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1902

BENTLY, CYRUS, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1915  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BENT, IRVING J.  
Successive Annual Member 1916

BERRY, KATHLEEN M. HEALY  
(MRS. CHARLES HOWARD)  
Successive Annual Member 1910

BEX, WILLIAM  
Annual Member 1876-1886

BIGGS, JOSEPH H.  
Successive Annual Member 1910

BILFORD, CORSEHURST K. GARRETT  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1901

BILLINGS, DR. FRANK  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1903  
Successive Life Member 1916-

BIGGM, MRS. HODGSON LOUISE  
Successive Annual Member 1910

BISHOP, HENRY W.  
Annual Governing Member 1851-1888

BISSELL, WILLIAM H.  
Honorary Member 1856-1860

BLACK, JOHN C.  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1899

BLACK, JOHN DONALD  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BLACKSTONE, LAPELLE FARNWORTH  
(MRS. TIMOTHY B.)  
Annual Governing Member 1915-

BLACKSTONE, TIMOTHY BEACH  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1883  
Life Member 1883-1899  
Contributed \$6,000 to Building Funded 1886

BLACKWELL, ROBERT S.  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1900

BLAICH, ALFRED O.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BLAINE, ANITA McCORMICK (MR. EMMONS)  
Annual Governing Member 1901-

BLAIR, CHAUNCEY B.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

BLAIR, CHAUNCEY J.  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1897

BLAIR, EDWARD TYLER  
Annual Governing Member 1884-

BLAIR, FRANCIS M.  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1886

BLAIR, LYMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

BLAIR, SARAH SEYMOUR (MRS. WILLIAM)  
Annual Governing Member 1907-

BLAIR, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1899  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Funded 1886  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Funded 1896

BLANCHARD, ROLLIN P.  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1895

BLANCHARD, RUFUS  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878  
Corresponding Member 1899-1904

BLANCHARD, MRS. RUFUS  
Corresponding Member 1913-

BLANEY, JAMES VAN ZANDT  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1900

BLATCHFORD, ELIJAHET WICKES  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1889  
Life Member 1886-1914

BLATCHFORD, NATHANIEL H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

BLATCHFORD, PAUL  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1914  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BLISS, SAMUEL EUGENE  
Annual Governing Member 1909-1913

BLOCKI, F. W.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BLOCKI, JOHN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BLODGETT, HENRY WILLIAMS  
Honorary Member 1901-1905  
Donated Portrait of Nathaniel Poor

BLOUNT, FREDERICK MEACHAM  
Annual Governing Member 1902

BLUME, HERBERT J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BLUNT, JOHN E., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOAK, ROBERT B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BODDIE, JOHN THOMAS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BODE, FREDERICK  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BODE, WILLIAM F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BODMAN, GRACE H. SMITH (MRS. LUTHER W.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BODMAN, LUTHER W.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1905

BOGLE, WALTER S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOGUE, GEORGE MARQUETTE  
Life Member 1870-1903

BOHOT, EMILE KELLOGG  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BOISOT, LOUIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOLDENWECK, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BOLGER, THOMAS J.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BOLTER, JOSEPH C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOLTON, HARLAN K.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BONBRIGHT, DANIEL  
Corresponding Member 1881-1912

BOND, BENJAMIN NICODIMUS  
Corresponding Member 1890-1905  
Life Member 1905-1911

BOND, CHARLES FREDERICK  
Corresponding Member 1905-

BOND, EDWARD ROGERS  
Corresponding Member 1905-1910

BOND, MARY ESTHER  
Corresponding Member 1905-1913

BOND, SHADRACH CUTTHBERT  
Corresponding Member 1905-

BOND, THOMAS WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1905-

BONHAM, W. R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BONHEIM, LEE M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOOMER, LUCIUS B.  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1871  
Life Member 1871-1881

BORLAND, BRUCE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BORLAND, HARRIET O. BLAIR (MRS. JOHN JAY)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BORN, MOSES  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BOST, HENRY RUSH  
Corresponding Member 1879-1907  
Founder of Old Printers' Library of C. H. S.

BOTSFORD, HENRY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BORLAND, BENJAMIN LANGFORD TIDE  
Corresponding Member 1898-1910

BOUTELL, LEWIS HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1898

BOWEN, CHAUNCEY THOMAS  
Late Member 1891-1896

BOWEN, IRA PARDEE  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1901

BOWEN, JAMES HARVEY  
Late Member 1890-1899

BOWEN, JOSEPH TILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1911

BOWES, FREDERICK M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BOWMAN, ERNEST M.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

BOWMAN, JONATHAN  
Corresponding Member 1888

BOYCE, WILLIAM D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1918

BOYD, JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed £20 to Building Fund 1868

BOYNTON, CHARLES T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BRADLEY, CALIB DAVIS  
Corresponding Member 1898-1907

BRADLEY, DAVID EMERY  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1899

BRADLEY, JOSEPH HARVEY  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1908

BRADLEY, WILLIAM HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1851-1871

BRAUER, PAUL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BRAUN, GEORGE PHILIP  
Annual Governing Member 1898-1905

BRAYMAN, MARG  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1897  
Honorary Member 1884-1899

BREWER, SIDNEY  
Corresponding Member 1920-1920  
Honorary Member 1870-1871

BRENNAN, EDWARD PAUL  
Corresponding Member 1913-

BRENNAN, GEORGE ALBERT  
Corresponding Member 1912-

BRIDGE, GEORGE SMITH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BRIGGS, SAMUEL A.  
Associate Member 1970-1971

BRIGHT, JOHN  
Honorary Member 1860-1899

BRINK, WHALEY RAYMOND  
Corresponding Member 1881-1902

BROOKS, CHARLES  
Corresponding Member 1860-1872

BROOKS, JAMES CARTER  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1905

BROOKS, JONATHAN W. J.  
Annual Governing Member 1891-1892

BROOME, CHESTER C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROPHY, TRUMAN W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROPHY, TRUMAN W., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROSS, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member, 1857-1860  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1864  
Life Member 1865-1870  
Contributed \$1,000 to Budding erected 1904

BROWN, CHARLES A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, CHARLES EDWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, EDWARD OSGOOD  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1901  
Corresponding Member 1909-

BROWN, EVERETT CHASE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, FREDERICK A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, MRS. HARRIET C. SWARD  
Corresponding Member 1881-1883

BROWN, JAMES EDGAR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, SAMUEL LOKWOOD  
 Annual Governing Member 1861-1900  
 Corresponding Member 1869-1912

BROWN, SANGER  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916-

BROWN, STEPHEN L.  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1879  
 Associate Member 1876-1880

BROWN, THOMAS BARBOUR  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWN, WILLIAM HUBBARD  
 Annual Governing Member 1856-1866  
 Life Member 1865-1867  
 Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1868

BROWN, WILLIAM L.  
 Annual Governing Member 1916

BROWN, WILLIAM S.  
 Associate Member 1876-1882

BROWNE, ALDIS J.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BROWNING, ORVILLE HICKMAN  
 Corresponding Member 1856-1861

BRUCKNER, WILLIAM T.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BRUSH, ROWENA SPENCER (MRS. EMERSON H.)  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BRUWAERT, EDMOND  
 Corresponding Member 1862-

BRYAN, ALFRED C.  
 Annual Governing Member 1865-1910

BRYAN, FREDERICK WILLIAM  
 Annual Governing Member 1865-

BRYAN, JOHN CHARLES  
 Annual Governing Member 1865-

BRYAN, THOMAS BARBOUR  
 Annual Governing Member 1864-1871  
 Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1868

BRYSON, WILLIAM JOHN  
 Annual Governing Member 1865-1910, 1913-

BUCK, NELSON LEROY  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BUCKINGHAM, EBENEZER  
 Annual Governing Member 1871-1875, 1890-1913

BUCKINGHAM, GEORGE T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BUCKLEY, THOMAS  
Corresponding Member 1904-1909

BUDD, BRITTON L.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BUEHLER, EUGENE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BUFFINGTON, EUGENE JACKSON  
Annual Governing Member 1910

BULLOCK, CARL C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BULLOCK, HENRY E.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

BUNN, JOHN WHITFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1897-

BURCH, ISAAC HOWE  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1862

BURKE, JOHN CRYSTOSTOM  
Corresponding Member 1904-

BURKE, WEBSTER HAROLD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

BURLEY, ARTHUR GILMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1871  
Life Member 1871-1897

BURLEY, AUGUSTUS HARRIS  
Associate Member 1858-1869  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1903  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1868  
Donated Portrait of Arthur G. Burley

BURLEY, CLARENCE AUGUSTUS  
Annual Governing Member 1904-1916  
Honorary Life Member 1916-  
Contributed \$1000 in 1916

BURLING, EDWARD  
Associate Member 1853-1859  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1884

BURNHAM, JOHN HOWARD  
Corresponding Member 1880

BURR, JONATHAN  
Annual Governing Member 1836-1860  
Honorary Life Member 1860-1869  
Donated \$300 for Printing

BOADWELL, CHARLES J.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1879  
Associate Member 1879-1880

BOEY, ALONZO  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

BOOTH, CLARENCE MUNROE  
Corresponding Member 1909-1910  
Honorary Member 1910

BURTON, LE GRAND STERLING  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1911

BURTON, STILES  
Associate Member 1885-1886

BURTON, WILLIAM M.  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

BURRY, LEONARD A.  
Annual Governing Member 1911

BUSH, WILHELMINA GENTRY  
Associate Life Member 1916

BUSH, WILLIAM H.  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1895, 1910

BUSHNELL, DAVID IVES  
Corresponding Member 1901

BUTLER, EDWARD BURGEON  
Annual Governing Member 1910

BUTLER, HERMON BEARDSLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1901

BUTLER, JEROME PEABODY (Mrs. HERMON R.)  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

BUTLER, MORTON  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

BUTZ, OTTO C.  
Annual Governing Member 1903

BULLIBY, H. M.  
Annual Governing Member 1911

BYRAM, H. E.  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

CABLE, FAYETTE S.  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

CAHN, BENJAMIN R.  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

CAHN, BERTHOLD J.  
Instituting Annual Member 1910

CALDWELL, CHARLES P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

CALHOUN, JOHN B.  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1918

CALHOUN, PAMELA C. HATHAWAY (MRS. JOHN B.)  
Corresponding Member 1890-1899  
Bequeathed Portraits of John Calhoun and  
Pamela C. Calhoun

CALHOUN, WILLIAM JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1916

CAKINS, L. A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CAMERON, DAN U.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CAMPBELL, CHARLES BISHOP  
Corresponding Member 1904-1914

CAMPBELL, WILLIAM J.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1906

CANNON, THOMAS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1912  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CANTELO, FRANCIS  
Corresponding Member 1889

CAPPS, JOSEPH A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARMAN, GEORGE N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARPENTER, AUGUSTUS ALVORD  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1911

CARPENTER, AUGUSTUS ALVORD, II  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARPENTER, BENJAMIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARPENTER, FREDERICK IVEA  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

CARPENTER, GEORGE A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARPENTER, GEORGE BENJAMIN  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1912  
Contributed \$100 to Building Funded 1908

CARPENTER, HUBBARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

CARPENTER, MYRON JAY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARPENTER, PHIL  
 Associate Member 1856-1859  
 Incorporated \$1,000 in the Society

CARR, CLARK E.  
 Corresponding Member 1908-

CARR, CYDIE M.  
 Annual Governing Member 1911-

CARR, MARIA GRAHAM  
 Corresponding Member 1888-1896

CARR, ROBERT F.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CARRY, EDWARD FRANCIS  
 Annual Governing Member 1910-

CARRON, JOHN B.  
 Annual Governing Member 1888-1889

CARTER, ARTEMUS  
 Associate Member 1888-1897

CARTER, HELEN LESLIE  
 Annual Governing Member 1916-

CARTER, JAMES  
 Annual Governing Member 1882-1887

CARTER, THOMAS BUTLER  
 Associate Member 1888-1897

CARTHERELL, KATE S. (MRS. MALCOLM)  
 Annual Governing Member 1909-

CARVER, BENJAMIN F.  
 Annual Governing Member 1857-1860

CASE, LEWIS  
 Honorary Member 1917-1946

CASWELL, CHARLES L.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CAYOS, JOHN DEAN  
 Corresponding Member 1898-1903

CERVENKA, JOHN A.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHALMERS, WILLIAM JAMES  
 Annual Governing Member 1896-

CHANLER, CHARLES T.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHANDLER, FRANK R.  
 Annual Governing Member 1898-1901

CHANDLER, REUBEN GREGORY  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHANDLER, WALTER TEMPLE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHANDLER, WILLIAM W.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

CHANNON, JAMES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHAPIN, MR. CHARLES A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHAPIN, HUNTER C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHAPIN, SIMEON B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHAPMAN, ARMS SPAFORD  
Corresponding Member 1890-

CHAPMAN, CHARLES C.  
Corresponding Member 1880-

CHAPMAN, FRANK M.  
Corresponding Member 1886-

CHAPMAN, JAMES R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHARNLAY, JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1903

CHASE, SAMUEL BLANCHARD  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1896

CHASE, SAMUEL M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHATEFIELD-TAYLOR, HOBART CHATEFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1891-

CHENEY, RT. REV. CHARLES EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1916

CHESBROUGH, ELLIS SYLVESTER  
Corresponding Member 1857-1869  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1880

CHETLAIN, AUGUSTUS LOUIS  
Annual Governing Member 1878-1898  
Corresponding Member 1905-1914

CHEW, JOHN H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHICKERING, JOHN W.  
Associate Member 1858-1899

CHILD, FRANK HALL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CHALMERS, H. R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1918

CHAUDET, PIERRE  
Corresponding Member 1884-1910

CHUBB, THOMAS  
Associate Member 1858-1889

CHURCHILL, GEORGE  
Corresponding Member 1858-1870

CLAPP, JAMES  
Associate Member 1863-1867

CLARK, EDWIN H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1918

CLARK, GEORGE M.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

CLARK, JOHN A.  
Corresponding Member 1864-

CLARK, JOHN MARSHALL  
Annual Governing Member 1884

CLARK, MANUEL T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1918

CLARK, STEWART  
Annual Governing Member 1810-1912

CLARKE, GEORGE C.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1887

CLARKE, GEORGE WASHINGTON  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1894

CLARKE, HETTE H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CLARKE, JOHN L.  
Associate Member 1858-1879

CLARKE, JOHN VAUGHAN  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1879

CLARKE, JOHN VAUGHAN, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1911

CLARKE, SAMUEL CLARKE  
Corresponding Member 1827-1891

CLARKE, SAMUEL J.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1911

CLARKSON, J. THOMAS  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1891

CLARKSON, ROBERT HARTER  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1864

CLAUSSENIUS, GEORGE W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CLEMENT, ARTHUR A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CLENNY, JAMES E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CLIFFORD, RICHARD W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CLINTON, HENRY PELHAM, *Duke of Newcastle*. *See*  
Newcastle

CLINTON, JOHN WATERBURY  
Corresponding Member 1910-

CLOW, HARRY B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CORB, HENRY IVES  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1895  
Life Member 1895  
Architect of Building erected 1896

COBB, SILEAS BOWMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1900

COBDEN, RICHARD  
Honorary Member 1859-1865

COBLE, ROBERT K.  
Annual Governing Member 1909-1910

COBURN, JOHN J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COBURN, LEWIS LARNED  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1910

COBURN, MRS. LEWIS L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COCHRAN, JOHN LEWIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COFF, ALMER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COFFEE, MILE LISTER  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1911

COLAHAN, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1905

COLBERT, ELIAS  
Corresponding Member 1899-

COLF, HARRY ELLSWORTH  
Corresponding Member 1909-

COLERAN, SEYMOUR  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

COLLS, EDWARD  
Honorary Member 1875-1910

COLLET, OSCAR W. A.  
Corresponding Member 1886-1904

COLLIER, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1879

COLLYER, ROBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1875-1879

COLVIN, EDWIN M.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

COMAN, SEYMOUR  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1899

COMSTOCK, WILLIAM H.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

CONANT, AUGUSTUS HAMMOND  
Corresponding Member 1886-1894

CONEY, GURDEN HERBERT  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

CONOVER, CHARLES HOPKINS  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1911  
Chairman Loan and Club Library 1910

CONOVER, HENRY BOARDMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

COOK, BURTON C.  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1888

COOK, FREDERICK FRANCIS  
Corresponding Member 1910-

COOK, MINNIE GATHRIGHT (MRS. HENRY L.)  
Corresponding Member 1912-

COOLBAUGH, WILLIAM FINLAY  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1871  
Life Member 1871-1915  
Contribution \$100 on Building erected 1868

COOLEY, FRANCIS B.  
Associate Member 1888-1909

COOLEY, LYMAN E.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910-1917

COOLIDGE, MRS. FREDERICK S.  
Honorary Life Member 1910-

COONLEY, JOHN STUART  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

COOPER, JOHN SNIDER  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1895

CORBIN, CAROLINE FAIRFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1899

COREY, CHESTER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CORKRAN, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1869-71

CORNELL, EZRA  
Corresponding Member 1866-1874

CURSE, JOHN MURRAY  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

CORTHELL, EVA SPAULDING  
Corresponding Member 1912

CORWITH, HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1853-1888  
Donated Portraits of Nathan Edwards  
and Daniel Pope Cook.

CORWITH, NATHAN  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

COUCH, IRA J.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1914  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COUNSELMAN, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1903

COUNSELMAN, MRS. CHARLES  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COUNTISS, FREDERICK D.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

COWAN, WILLIAM P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COWLES, ALFRED  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1868

COWLES, ALFRED  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COX, A. F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

COX, ISAAC JOELIN  
Corresponding Member 1907

COX, RENDELLER W.  
Annual Governing Member 1909

CRABB, C. C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CRAGIN, EDWARD F.  
Associate Member 1878-1903

CRAIG, ALEXANDER R.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CRAIG, ERIC  
Honorary Member 1917-1926

CRAMER, AMBROSE  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1889  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CRANDALL, NOEL  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CRANE, CHARLES RICHARD  
Annual Governing Member 1886-

CRANE, FRANK W.  
Corresponding Member 1900-

CRANE, RICHARD TELLER  
Life Member 1880  
Honorary Life Member 1897-1912  
Contributed \$1000 to Building Fund 1880

CRANE, RICHARD TELLER, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

CRANE, RICHARD TELLER, III.  
Annual Governing Member 1913

CREAR, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1899  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1877  
Repaired \$25,000 applied to Building Fund 1899

CREAR, JOHN  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CRELLY, DANIEL FRANCIS  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1914

CRITCHELL, ROBERT S.  
Associate Member 1877-86

CRIMWELL, EDWARD C.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CROWELL, HENRY P.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

CURARRY, EDWARD A.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

CURARRY, EDWARD L.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CURARRY, JOSEPH M.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

CULBERTSON, CAREY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CULLOM, SHELBY MOORE  
Annual Governing Member 1898-1900  
Honorary Member 1901-1914

CULVER, BELDEN FARRAND  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1900  
Corresponding Member 1898-1906  
Life Member 1900-1902  
Considered \$250 to Building Fund 1906

CUMMING, EDMUND A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CUNNINGHAM, FRANK S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CUNNINGHAM, SECOR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CURREY, JOSIAH SEYMOUR  
Corresponding Member 1902

CURTIS, CHARLES CHAUNCY  
Annual Governing Member 1903

CURTIS, JOHN F. L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

CUSHING, EDWARD T.  
Annual Governing Member 1905

CUSHING, NATHANIEL SAWYER  
Associate Member 1864-1865

CUTTING, CHARLES S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DANGLER, DAVID E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DANIELS, EDWARD  
Associate Member 1864-1871

DAUGHADAY, C. COLTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAVIS, BRODE B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAVIS, MRS. CECIL CLARK  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAVIS, CHARLES EDWIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAVIS, HARRIETTE  
Associate Member 1838-1839

DAVIS, JAMES  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAVIS, NATHAN SMITH  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1882, 1883-1884

DAVIS, NATHAN SMITH, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1894

DAWES, CHARLES G.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

DAWES, HENRY M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAWES, RUFUS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DAWSON, HENRY BARTON  
Corresponding Member 1886

DAY, ALBERT MORGAN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEAN, MARVIN A.  
Sustaining Life Member 1919-

DEAN, RICHMOND  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEAN, S. ELLA WOOD (MRS. JOHN E.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEARBORN, LUTHER M.  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1889

DECKER, ALFRED  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEE, THOMAS J.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

DEERING, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1911

DEERING, JAMES  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

DEERING, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1913

DEFREESE, JOSEPH HOLTON  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1912  
Sustaining Annual Member 1918

DE KOVEN, ANNIE LARRABEE (MRS. JOHN)  
Annual Governing Member 1904

DE KOVEN, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1876-1900

DELAND, FREDERIC ADRIAN  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1918

DESEEN, CHARLES S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DENSENHY, THOMAS C.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

DENNIS, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DENT, LOUIE LEE  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1910

DENT, THOMAS  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1911  
Honorary Member 1911-

DE PEYSTER, JOHN WATTS  
Corresponding Member 1880-1907

DERBY, WILLIAM M.  
Life Member 1870-1892

DERBY, WILLIAM MINER, JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DERING, CHARLES L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEUTSCH, JOSEPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DEWES, FRANCIS J.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

DEWEY, LOUISE  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

DE WOLF, EDWARD P.  
Corresponding Member 1907-

DE WOLF, OSCAR C.  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1894

DE WOLF, WALLACE L.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

DE WOLF, WILLIAM FREDERICK  
Corresponding Member 1878-1896

DEXTER, WIRT  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

DIBBLEE, LAURA FIELD (MRS. HENRY)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DICK, ALBERT BLAKE  
Annual Governing Member 1908-

DICK, HERMAN E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DICK, KENNETH W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DICKY, HUGH THOMAS**  
 Associate Governing Member 1908-1914  
 126 Madison 1902-1903  
 Considered \$5000 in Building Fund 1913

**DICKINSON, ALBERT**  
 Annual Governing Member 1900-1901

**DICKINSON, GUY A.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DICKINSON, JACOB MAGGARD**  
 Annual Governing Member 1908-1909  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1910

**DICKINSON, THEODORE G.**  
 Sustaining Life Member 1910

**DICKINSON, WILLIAM**  
 Annual Governing Member 1912

**DICKINSON, WILLIAM R.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1914

**DIXON, ARTHUR**  
 Annual Governing Member 1900-1911

**DIXON, GEORGE W.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1910

**DIXON, SIMON W.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DIXON, WILLIAM WARREN**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DODGE, GEORGE E. P.**  
 Annual Governing Member 1892-1904

**DOERING, EDMUND J., JR.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DOERING, OTTO C.**  
 Annual Governing Member 1900

**DOGGETT, WILLIAM ELKANAH**  
 Associate Member 1856-1860  
 Annual Governing Member 1866-1876

**DOGGETT, WILLIAM L.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DOLE, ARTHUR**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**DOLE, GEORGE WASHINGTON**  
 Associate Member 1856-1860

**DOLE, J. N.**  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DOLL, JAMES H.  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871  
Contributed \$100 on Building Fund 1868

DONAHUE, WILLIAM J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

DONNELLEY, LAURA THORNE (Mrs. REUBEN H.)  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

DONNELLEY, NAOMI (Mrs. R. R.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1915

DONNELLEY, REUBEN H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

DONNELLEY, THOMAS ELLIOTT  
Annual Governing Member 1912

DORF, JOHN CLARK  
Annual Member 1858-1859

DOUL, MRS. LEVI B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DOUGHTY, ARTHUR G.  
Corresponding Member 1906

DOUGLAS, CHARLES H. G.  
Corresponding Member 1879

DOUGLAS, STEPHEN ARNOLD  
Honorary Member 1857-1861

DOUGLAS, WALTER BOND  
Corresponding Member 1905-

DOUGLASS, WILLIAM A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DOW, J. HALL  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1886

DOW, WILLIAM C.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

DOWNEY, JOSEPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DRAKE, HELEN VERNERA  
Annual Governing Member 1914

DRAKE, MRS. TRACY C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DRAPER, ANDREW SLOAN  
Honorary Member 1901-1915

DRAPER, LYMAN COPELAND  
Corresponding Member 1880-1891

DRENNAN, DANIEL OGILVIE  
Corresponding Member 1891-1906

DREW, GEORGE C.  
Associate Member 1866-1880

DROWNE, HENRY T.  
Corresponding Member 1877-1897

DRUMMOND, THOMAS  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1865  
Honorary Member 1881-1890

DRYER, ERVIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DUGAN, JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1863

DUMMER, WILLIAM FRANCIS  
Annual Governing Member 1897-

DUNCAN, JOSEPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DUNHAM, JAMES SPEAR  
Associate Member 1879-1886  
Annual Governing Member 1887-1890

DUNHAM, JOHN HIGH  
Associate Member 1856-1862  
Annual Governing Member 1863-1893  
Contributed \$350 to Building Fund 1888

DUNHAM, MARY V.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

DUNHAM, ROBERT J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DUNLAP, GEORGE LINCOLN  
Life Member 1869-1881  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1888  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1877

DUNN, JACOB PIATT, JR.  
Corresponding Member 1889

DUNN, MORRILL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DURAND, ELLIOT  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1868

DURRETT, REUBEN THOMAS  
Corresponding Member 1867-1911

DURRIL, DANIEL STEELE  
Corresponding Member 1869-1892

DUTTON, MARSHALL MARTIS  
Corresponding Member 1916-

DUX, JOSEPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DYCHE, WILLIAM A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

DYRENFORTH, ARTHUR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EARL, DR. CLARENCE ARTHUR  
Corresponding Member 1911

EASTMAN, FRANCIS AMBROSE  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1871  
Corresponding Member 1903

EASTMAN, SIDNEY CORNING  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1911  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EASTMAN, ZEBINA  
Corresponding Member 1863-1883

EATON, JOSEPH HORACE  
Corresponding Member 1856

EATON, SHIRBURN B.  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1871

EBERHARDT, MAX  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1912

ECKHART, B. A.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

EDDY, AUGUSTUS NEWLAND  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1909

EDDY, H. C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EDWARDS, BENJAMIN STEVENSON  
Corresponding Member 1858-1886

EDWARDS, NINIAN WIRT  
Corresponding Member 1850-1889

EGAN, WILLIAM BRADSHAW  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EISENDRATH, BENJAMIN D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EISENDRATH, D. N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EISENDRATH, JOSEPH N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

EISENDRATH, W. N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ELLIS, J. ALDER  
Life Member 1871-1888  
Contributed \$100 to Building credit 1868  
Donated Portrait of Zachary Taylor

EDD, THOMAS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1871

ED, DAVID J.  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1862  
Life Member 1868-1877  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1861

EMERY, SAMUEL HOPKINS  
Corresponding Member 1859

ERICK, LEO  
Annual Governing Member 1915

ESTER, C. E.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

EVANS, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1887-1891

EVANS, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1892

EVERTT, EDWARD  
Honorary Member 1857-1865

EWIN, JOHN MELCHIOR  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1894

FAIRSTY, EZRA C.  
Honorary Life Member 1916

FAILLON, MICHEL ETIENNE  
Honorary Member 1858-1870

FAIRBANK, KELLOGG  
Annual Governing Member 1913

FAIRBANK, NATHANIEL KELLOGG  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1884  
Life Member 1884-1900  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1884

FARGO, JAMES C.  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

FARIBAULT, GEORGE BARTHOLMEW  
Honorary Member 1856-1866

FARLEY, EDWARD PHILIP  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FARNWORTH, GEORGE J.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FARNWORTH, JOHN FRANKLIN  
Associate Member 1838-1929

FARNUM, HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1883  
Life Member 1883-1894  
Contributed \$1,200 to Building Fund 1884

**FARNUM, WILLIAM WHITMAN**  
Annual Governing Member 1863-1865  
Life Member 1866-

**FARWELL, ARTHUR LINCOLN**  
Corresponding Annual Member 1916

**FARWELL, CHARLES BENJAMIN**  
Life Member 1869-1883  
Contributed \$55 to Building Fund 1877

**FARWELL, FRANCIS COOLEY**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FARWELL, GRANGER**  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1912

**FARWELL, MRS. JOHN A.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FARWELL, JOHN VILLARS**  
Associate Member 1858-1869  
Life Member 1869-1908

**FARWELL, JOHN VILLARS, JR.**  
Annual Governing Member 1884

**FARWELL, MARCUS AUGUSTUS**  
Life Member 1870-1895

**FAY, CHARLES NORMAN**  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1896

**FElix, BENJAMIN B.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FELLOWS, WILLIAM KINNE**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FELSENTHAL, BERNHARD**  
Corresponding 1863-1908

**FELT, DORR E.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FELTON, CORNELIUS CONWAY**  
Corresponding Member 1858-1862  
Associate Member 1883-1887

**FELTON, SAMUEL M.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FENTRESS, CALVIN**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**FERGUS, GEORGE HARRIS**  
Associate Member 1862-1882  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1911

**FERGUS, ROBERT**  
Corresponding Member 1879-1897

FERGUS, ROBERT COLEVER  
Annual Governing Member 1912

FERNALD, BENJAMIN E. (MRS. SWIFT)  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FERRY, CHARLES HERBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1915

FERRY, WILLIAM HENRY  
Life Member 1869-1900

FERGUS, JAMES WALTER  
Corresponding Member 1907

FELBENDEN, CHARLES N.  
Associate Member 1911-1919

FIELD, DELLA SPENCER CATION (MRS. MARSHALL)  
Honorary Life Member 1916

FIELD, HEMAN  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FIELD, HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1913-1900

FIELD, HENRY  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

FIELD, MARSHALL  
Life Member 1869-1886  
Deceased Mrs. of James Malvern, John Armstrong,  
Joseph June and Edmund Randolph

FIELD, MARSHALL, III  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FIELD, STANLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

FINN, JOSEPH M.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

FISHBURN, EUGENE HEALD  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1915

FISHER, LUCIUS GEORGE  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1916

FISHER, WALTER LOWRIE  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

FLEMING, JOHN C.  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

FLINT, THOMPSON J. S.  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1873  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1864

FLOWER, GEORGE  
Corresponding Member 1861-1867

FLOWER, JAMES MONROE  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1900

FOLDE, CHARLES WILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

FOLLY, JOHN BURTON  
Annual Governing Member 1910

FOLLY, THOMAS  
Honorary Member 1870-1879

FOLLANBEE, GEORGE A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FOLLANBEE, MITCHELL D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FOLSUM, WILLIAM RICKCORDS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORCE, PETER  
Corresponding Member 1857-1868

FORD, CHARLES F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORD, CHARLES N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORD, GEORGE W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORGAN, DAVID ROBERTSON  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1910

FORGAN, JAMES BERWICK  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

FORGAN, JAMES B., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORREST, THOMAS LAWRENCE  
Associate Member 1858-1859

FORSYTH, GEORGE A.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1881

FORSYTH, OLIVER O.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

FORSYTH, ROBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

FORSYTHE, ALBERT N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FORSYTHE, JOHN  
Life Member 1889-1885

FORTUNE, JOHN L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

FISTER, JOHN HERBERT  
 Annual Governing Member 1857-1874  
 Contribution \$100 to Building Fund 1861

FISTER, JOHN WELLS  
 Associate Member 1858-1860  
 Annual Governing Member 1873-1874

FOUKE, JAMES  
 Corresponding Member 1879-1887

FRANK, BERTHOLD W.  
 Associate Member 1910

FRANK, HENRY L.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916

FRANK, JAMES  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1896

FRANKEL, JULIUS  
 Annual Governing Member 1907

FRANKLIN, JANE GRIFFIN  
 Honorary Member 1860-1873

FRANKLIN, MARIAN SCOTT  
 Corresponding Member 1903

FRASER, NORMAN D.  
 Annual Governing Member 1913

FREER, ARCHIBALD E.  
 Annual Governing Member 1903

FREER, LEONARD COVETT PAINE  
 Annual Governing Member 1879-1879

FREER, NATHAN MARBLE  
 Annual Governing Member 1897-1903

FRIESTEDT, LUDER P.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916

FRY, HENRY T.  
 Annual Governing Member 1917

FULLER, ALLEN CURTIS  
 Annual Governing Member 1863-1891

FULLER, LEROY W.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916-

FULLER, OLIVER FRANK  
 Annual Governing Member 1907

FULLER, SAMUEL WORCESTER  
 Annual Governing Member 1864-1865  
 Life Member 1866-1873  
 Contribution \$100 to Building Fund 1864

FULLER, WILLIAM ALDEN  
 Annual Governing Member 1880

**FULLERTON, ALEXANDER NATHANIEL**  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1977  
Life Member 1872-1889

**FULLERTON, CHARLES WILLIAM**  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1900  
Contributed \$750 to Building erected 1896  
Contributed \$300 to Portrait Fund

**FURST, HENRY, JR.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GAGE, DAVID A.**  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1868

**GAGE, FRANK N.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GAGE, LYMAN JUDSON**  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1903

**GALE, E. VINCENT**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GALE, WILLIAM HENRY**  
Corresponding Member 1904-1911

**GANO, CHARLES D.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GANO, SAMUEL S.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GARDINER, ASA BIRD**  
Corresponding Member 1881-

**GARDINER, EDWIN J.**  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1898

**GARDNER, FRANK G.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GARDNER, JAMES P.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GARDNER, WILLIAM ALEXANDER**  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1916

**GARNEAU, FRANÇOIS XAVIER**  
Honorary Member 1858-1866

**GARRETT, T. MAURO**  
Annual Governing Member 1975-1983  
Bequeathed \$1000 to the Society

**GARTSIDE, JOHN M.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GARY, ELBERT H.**  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

GARY, JOHN W.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-  
GARY, JOSEPH EASTON  
Honorary Member 1902-1906

GATES, LELIE F.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GATES, PHILETUS W.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GATZERTZ, AUGUST  
Corresponding Annual Member 1916

GEER, IRA JEWETT  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GERARD, JOHN B.  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1897

GERSTENBERG, ERICH  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GERTE, WALTER S.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GIERUTEN, WALDEMAR  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GILLE, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1916-1917

GILLE, MRS. WILLIAM A.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

GILLEPIE, JOSEPH  
Corresponding Member 1898-1905

GILLETTE, EDWIN FRASER  
Corresponding Annual Member 1916

GILPIN, CHARLES  
Corresponding Member 1891-1899

GILPIN, RICHARD ARTHINGTON  
Corresponding Member 1891-1899

GIROUARD, DÉIRK  
Honorary Member 1894-1911

GLASER, EDWARD L.  
Annual Governing Member 1913

GLENNER, JOHN JACOB  
Annual Governing Member 1896-  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1898

GLOVER, JOSEPH OTIS  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1894

GODDARD, LEROY A.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1910  
Honorary Life Member 1910-

**GOLD, EGBERT H.**  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

**GOLDEN, I. J. K.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOOD, ROWLAND T.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOODMAN, EDWARD**  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1895  
Corresponding Member 1895-1911

**GOODMAN, HERBERT EDWARD**  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

**GOODMAN, KENNETH SAWYER**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOODMAN, WILLIAM O.**  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

**GOODRICH, ALBERT W.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOODRICH, GRANT**  
Associate Member 1858-1861  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1871

**GOODRICH, HORACE A.**  
Annual Governing Member 1907-

**GOODSPEED, WESTON ARTHUR**  
Annual Governing Member 1909-1914

**GOODWILLIE, DAVID L.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOODWIN, DANIEL**  
Corresponding Member 1883-1887  
Annual Governing Member 1887-1898  
Corresponding Member 1898-1901  
Honorary Member 1901

**GOOKIN, FREDERICK W.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GORDON, NELLY KINZIE (MRS. W. W.)**  
Corresponding Member 1903-1916

**GORTON, LOUISE STAGER, (MRS. FRANK S.)**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOSS, CHARLES O.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GOUBELIN, L'ABBÉ A. E.**  
Corresponding Member 1907-

**GRAFF, E. A.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GRAHAM, ALBERT A.  
Corresponding Member 1879-1888

GRAHAM, JAMES DUNCAN  
Corresponding Member 1858-1865

GRANT, WILLIAM CUTTING  
Annual Governing Member 1863-1867

GRAUE, JOHN GEO.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GRAY, JAMES  
Corresponding Member 1880-1883

GREENLEY, MORRIS L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENLEY, SAMUEL SEWELL  
Corresponding Member 1895-1916

GREEN, SAMUEL ABBOTT  
Corresponding Member 1861-

GREEN, WILLIAM OGDEN  
Annual Governing Member 1916

GREENACRE, ISAIAH T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENE, EVART BOUTELL  
Corresponding Member 1886

GREENBAUM, HENRY  
Life Member 1879-1914

GREENBAUM, HENRY E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENBAUM, HENRY N.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENBAUM, JAMES E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENBAUM, MOSES E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENBAUM, WALTER J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREENLAW, WILLIAM PRESCOTT  
Corresponding Member 1913-

GREENLEE, RALPH STERLING  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

GREGORY, ROBERT B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

GREGORY, STEPHEN S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GREGGON, WILLIAM L.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GRESHAM, OTTO**  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1910  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GREY, HOWARD G.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

**GREY, WALTER CLARK**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GRIFFITHS, JOHN**  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

**GRIGGS, SAMUEL CHAPMAN**  
Associate Member 1858-1861  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1880  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1868

**GRINNELL, JULIUS SPRAGUE**  
Annual Governing Member 1891-1898

**GROMMES, JOHN B.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GRONNERUD, PAUL**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GROVER, FRANK REED**  
Corresponding Member 1906

**GROVER, ZUINGLIUS**  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

**GROWER, WILLIAM FREDERICK**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GULICK, JOHN H.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GUNN, WALTER C.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**GUNTHER, CHARLES FREDERICK**  
Annual Governing Member 1883  
Contributed \$100 toward purchase of Park Papers  
Donated Portrait of Washington by Charles W. Peale  
Donated Portrait of Shabrina

**GURLEY, WILLIAM W.**  
Annual Governing Member 1903

**GURNEY, WALTER SMITH**  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1865  
Life Member 1865-1903

**GUTHRIE, O'BRIAN**  
Corresponding Member 1903-1907  
Honorary Member 1907-1908

GUTHRIE, SEYMOUR  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HACKNEY, HENRY C.  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HADDICK, EDWARD HIRAM  
 Annual Governing Member 1884-1885

HAGER, ALBERT DAVID  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1888

HAGER, RUE F.  
 Corresponding Member 1883-1892

HAGEY, JOHN FRANKLIN  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HAGGARD, JOHN D.  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HAIGHT, GEORGE IVRA  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HAINES, ELIJAH MIDDLEBROOK  
 Corresponding Member 1861-1866

HAINES, JOHN ALLEN  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HAINES, JOHN CHARLES  
 Annual Governing Member 1837-1868

HALL, AMOS T.  
 Associate Member 1858-1859

HALL, JAMES  
 Corresponding Member 1858-1868

HALL, ROBERT FOOTE  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HALLBURN, GUSTAF W.  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HALLE, EDWARD G.  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HALLSTED, JAMES C.  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HALLEY, J. J.  
 Annual Governing Member 1894-1895

HAMBLETON, CHALKLEY JAY  
 Annual Governing Member 1867-1900  
 Contributor \$500 to Building Fund 1896

HAMBLETON, CHALKLEY JAY, JR.  
 Annual Governing Member 1888

HAMBLETON, ELEANOR FARDO (MRS. EARL L.)  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1916

HAMILL, CHARLES DAVIDSON  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1895

HAMILL, ERNEST ALFRED  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1905, 1911-

HAMILL, RALPH C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAMILL, ROBERT W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAMILTON, DAVID GILBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1915

HAMILTON, HENRY EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1906

HAMILIN, FRANK  
Annual Governing Member 1915-

HAMLIN, JOHN AUSTIN  
Annual Governing Member 1901

HAMMOND, CHARLES GOODRICH  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1871

HANCHETT, WILLIAM F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HANNAH, JOHN S.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1901

HANSON, H. J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HANSON, RICHARD M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARDEN, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1890

HARDIN, MARTIN D.  
Annual Governing Member 1908

HARDING, AMOS J.  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1887

HARDING, CHARLES F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARDING, GEORGE F.  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1868

HARDY, F. A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARLOW, GEORGE HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1879-1889

HARMER, ROBERT J.  
Corresponding Member 1879-1889

HARMON, CHARLES LOOMIS  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1858

HARNWELL, FRED W.  
Annual Governing Member 1912

HARPEL, CHARLES  
Corresponding Member 1883-1897

HARPER, ELLA PAUL (MRS. WILLIAM RAINES)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARRIS, ALBERT WADSWORTH  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

HARRIS, MRS. EMMA GALE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARRIS, FREDERICK GILLETTE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARRIS, GEORGE BACON  
Annual Governing Member 1899

HARRIS, JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1909  
Honorary Life Member 1909-  
Donated Lincoln Head by Burgleum

HARRIS, NORMAN WAITE  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1910

HARRIS, ROBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871

HARRIS, SAMUEL SMITH  
Honorary Member 1879-1888

HARRISON, CARTER HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1908  
Donated Oil Portrait of Carter H. Harrison, Sr.

HARRISON, WILLIAM PRESTON  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1914

HART, H. STILLSON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HART, LOUIS E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HART, WILLIAM OCTAVI  
Corresponding Member 1908

HARTMAN, WILLIAM J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HARVEY, FRANK WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1906

HARVEY, TURLINGTON WALKER  
Annual Governing Member 1904-1906

HASKELL, FREDERICK TUDOR  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

HATCH, OZIAS MATHER  
Corresponding Member 1865-1893

HATELY, WALTER C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAUBERG, JOHN H.  
Annual Governing Member 1915-

HAVEN, LUTHER  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1866

HAVEN, SAMUEL FOSTER  
Corresponding Member 1857-1881

HAWES, LEVANCHE D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAWLEY, CHARLES G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAY, WILLIAM SHERMAN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HAYES, MRS. HARRIET HAYDEN  
Corresponding Member 1907-

HEAD, FRANKLIN HARVEY  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1913  
Honorary Member 1913-1914

HEAD, WILLIAM RICHARD  
Corresponding Member 1907-1910

HEALY, DANIEL M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEALY, EDITH  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1903

HEALY, MARQUETTE A.  
Annual Governing Member 1912-1916  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEATH, ALBERT G.  
Annual Governing Member 1915-

HEATH, ERNEST W.  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1899

HEBARD, FREDERIC S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HECHT, FRANK A.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

HECKMAN, WALLACE  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1907

HEINEMAN, OSCAR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENTHORN, LORENZ  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENDERSON, CHARLES MATHER  
Annual Governing Member 1912-1916

HENDERSON, EMILY HOLLINGSWORTH  
(MRS. CHARLES M.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENDERSON, HOWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENKE, MAX  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENNEBERRY, WILLIAM P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENRY, HUNTINGTON B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HENRY, JOSEPH  
Corresponding Member 1826-1828

HERRICK, ELIJAH WARD  
Associate Member 1858-1860

HERRICK, LOUISE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEALER, ALEXANDER  
Corresponding Member 1880-1885

HEBERT, WILLIAM  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEUN, ARTHUR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEURTLEY, ARTHUR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEWEY, GEORGE  
Corresponding Member 1829

HEWITT, CHARLES MORGAN  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1916

HEYWORTH, JAMES O.  
Annual Governing Member 1912-

HEYWORTH, JULIA F. (MRS. JAMES)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEBBARD, FRANK  
Annual Governing Member 1912-1916

HEBBARD, FREDERICK C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HEBBARD, JOHN RANDOLPH  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1871

HIBBARD, WILLIAM GOLD  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1905  
Contributed \$1,250 to Building Fund 1896

HIBBARD, WILLIAM GOLD, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

HICKCOX, JOHN HOWARD  
Corresponding Member 1857-1897

HICKLING, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1881

HIGGINS, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1900

HIGGINS, JOHN H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HIGGINS, VAN HOLLIS  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1860, 1889-1893

HIGGINSON, GEORGE, JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HIGGINSON, GEORGE M.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1887  
Corresponding Member 1889-1897

HIGGINSON, STEPHEN C.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

HIGH, GEORGE HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1908

HIGH, GEORGE M.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

HIGH, JOHN, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1857

HIGH, SHIRLEY T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HIGINBOTHAM, HARLOW NILES  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1911  
Corresponding Member 1911-

HILDRETH, RICHARD  
Corresponding Member 1858-1865

HILL, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HILL, HENRY H.  
Corresponding Member 1880

HILL, HORATIO  
Associate Member 1881-1883

HILLEBRAND, GERHARD H.  
Life Member 1906-

HILLIS, DAVID M.  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1914

HILLIS, EDWARD R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HINDE, THOMAS WOODNUTT  
Annual Governing Member 1914

HINER, EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1911

HIRSCH, EMIL G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HITCHCOCK, ANNIE McCLOURE (Mrs. CHASE)  
Annual Governing Member 1900

HITCHCOCK, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1979

HJORTSBERG, MAX  
Annual Governing Member 1876-1891

HOELCHER, HERMAN M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOLABIRD, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1899

HOLDEN, CHARLES NEWTON  
Honorary Member 1856-1859

HOLDEN, HALE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOLDOM, JESSE  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

HOLDSWORTH, JAMES J.  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

HOLLIS, WILLIAM D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOLLS, GEORGE FREDERICK WILLIAM  
Honorary Member 1902-1903

HOLMER, CHARLES B.  
Annual Governing Member 1892-1900

HOLMER, IRA  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1971

HOLT, CHARLES S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOLT, GEORGE H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

HONORE, HENRY H.  
Life Member 1893-1916

HOOPER, HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1897

HOOVER, GEORGE P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOPEWELL, CHARLES  
Associate Member 1879-1881

HOPKINS, JAMES M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOPKINS, JOHN PATRICK  
Annual Governing Member 1903-

HORNER, HENRY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HORTON, GEORGE T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOSMER, ROCKWOOD W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOTZ, CHRISTOPH  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1904

HOUCK, HARVEY B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOUGHTELING, LUCRETIA TEN BROEK PEABODY  
(MRS. JAMES L.)  
Annual Governing Member 1916

HOUGHTELING, WILLIAM D.  
Annual Governing Member  
Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1868

HOWARD, HAROLD A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOWE, SAMUEL  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1872  
Contributed \$300 to Building erected 1868

HOYNE, FRANK GILBERT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOYNE, MACLAY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOYNE, THOMAS  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1865  
Life Member 1865-1883  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1868  
Contributed \$500 towards canceling Society's debt

HOYNE, THOMAS MACLAY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOYT, FREDERICK T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOYT, J. W.  
Corresponding Member 1870-1871

HOYT, THATCHER W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HOYT, WILLIAM H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUBBARD, ABOLITION SKINNER  
Corresponding Member 1889-1913

HUBBARD, EDWIN  
Corresponding Member 1873-1891

HUBBARD, ELIJAH KENT  
Corresponding Member 1869-1871, 1883-1915  
Contributed \$50 toward General Expenses

HUBBARD, ELIJAH KENT, JR.  
Corresponding Member 1913-

HUBBARD, GURDON SALTONSTALL  
Associate Member 1857-1859  
Annual Governing Member 1859-1860  
Honorary Member 1877-1880

HUBBARD, JOSEPH DERWIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUBBARD, LAURA M.  
Corresponding Member 1879-1888

HUBBARD, MARY ANN (MRS. GURDON S.)  
Honorary Life Member 1861-1889

HUBBELL, CHARLES W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUDSON, H. NEWTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUFY, ARTHUR S.  
Annual Governing Member 1913

HUGHITT, MARVIN  
Annual Governing Member 1913

HUGUNIN, JAMES ROBERT  
Associate Member 1858-1859

HULBERT, CHARLES P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HULBURD, CHARLES HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1904

HULL, HORACE  
Corresponding Member 1807-

HULL, MRS. MORTON D.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

HUNT, CHARLES H.  
Associate Member 1836-1839

HUNT, JARVIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUNT, ROBERT WOOLSTON  
Annual Governing Member 1900

HUNTER, CHARLES W.  
Corresponding Member 1856-1860

HUNTER, JOSEPH  
Corresponding Member 1858-1861

HURLBUT, HENRY HIGGINS  
Corresponding Member 1880-1890

HURLBUT, HORACE A.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

HURST, JAMES M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUTCHINS, JAMES C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HUTCHINSON, CHARLES LAWRENCE  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1901  
Life Member, 1901-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907-  
Contributed \$1500 to Building erected 1896

HYDE, JAMES NEVINS  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1899, 1905-1910

HYNES, JAMES A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

HYNES, WILLIAM J.  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1910

INGALLS, GEORGE H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

INSULL, SAMUEL  
Annual Governing Member 1899-

ISHAM, EDWARD SWIFT  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1902  
Contributed \$150 to Building erected 1898

ISHAM, GEORGE SNOW  
Annual Governing Member 1905-

ISHAM, HENRY PIERREPONT  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1897

ISHAM, KATHERINE SNOW (MRS. R. N.)  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1913

ISHAM, RALPH  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

LOHAM, RALPH NELSON  
Annual Governing Member 1876-1901

LOHAM, WILLIAM BRADLEY  
Corresponding Member 1884-1909

JACKMAN, EDWIN S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JACKSON, HUNTINGTON WOLCOTT  
Annual Governing Member 1886-1901  
Bequeathed \$1,000 to the Society

JACKSON, OBADIAH  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1878

JACOBOWSKY, MARCUS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JACOBSON, AUGUSTUS  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1909

JAMES, BENJAMIN F.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

JAMES, EDMUND JAMES  
Honorary Member 1886-

JAMES, EDWIN  
Corresponding Member 1859-1861

JAMES, FREDERIC S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JAMES, JAMES ALTON  
Corresponding Member 1866-

JAMES, JOELIAH L.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

JAMESON, JOHN FRANKLIN  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1885  
Honorary Member 1885-

JANKE, JOHN J.  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1900

JANSEN, EGBERT L.  
Life Member 1889-1892

JAY, WEBB  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JENKINS, GEORGE H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JENKS, CHANCELLOR LIVINGSTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JENSEN, ELMER C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JENSEN, JENS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JERREAU, WILLIAM G., JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1901

JEWETT, ELLEN ROUNTREE (Mrs. JOHN N.)  
Life Member 1903

JEWETT, JOHN NELSON  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1879, 1886-1901

JEWETT, SAMUEL ROUNTREE  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1907

JOHNSON, ARTHUR LOUIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JOHNSON, ENOS  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

JOHNSON, FRANK SEWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JOHNSON, HERRICK  
Annual Governing Member 1830-1883

JOHNSON, HOSMER ALLEN  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1875

JOHNSON, MRS. LORENZO M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JOHNSON, MARTHA HEALD  
(Mrs. WRIGHT)  
Corresponding Member 1912-

JOHNSON, WILLIAM SAGE  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1882  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1877

JOHNSTON, SAMUEL  
Associate Member 1858-1866  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1869  
Life Member 1869-1886

JONES, ARTHUR BLAYNEY  
Annual Governing Member 1913

JONES, ARTHUR EDWARDS, S. J.  
Corresponding Member 1905-

JONES, DANIEL AMASA  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1888

JONES, DAVID BENNETT  
Annual Governing Member 1896-

JONES, ELIPHAZ WARNER  
Annual Governing Member 1859-1865

JONES, FERNANDO  
Honorary member 1901-1911

JONES, FRANK HATCH  
Annual Governing Member 1915-

JONES, GABRIEL S.  
Corresponding Member 1879-1900

JONES, GEORGE HERBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1916

JONES, HELEN SNOW  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JONES, JOSEPH RUFELI  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1879, 1903-1909

JONES, KILER KENT  
Life Member 1870-1886

JONES, MAHON OGDEN  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1887

JONES, THOMAS DAVIES  
Annual Governing Member 1886-

JONES, W. CLYDE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JORDAN, CATHY M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JORDAN, SCOTT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JORN, JOHN F.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

JOSEPH, LOUIE L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

JUDSON, HARRY PRATT  
Annual Governing Member 1902-1903

JUERGENS, HANS PAUL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KALE, FRANCIS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1891

KANAVEL, ALLEN B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KARPEN, ADOLPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KARPAS, OTTO  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KARPAS, W. EUGENE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KELLEY, THOMAS F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KEEP, ALBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1890

KEEP, CHAUNCEY  
Annual Governing Member 1903-

KEEP, HARRIET S. (MRS. ALBERT)  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1915

KEITH, CARL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KEITH, EDSON  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1896  
Contributed \$500 to Building erected 1896

KEITH, HARRIET S. HALL (MRS. ELBRIDGE G.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KEITH, WILLIAM SCOTT  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

KELLEY, WILLIAM EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1910

KELLEY, WILLIAM VALLANDIGHAM  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

KELLOGG, CHARLES P.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

KELLOGG, FRANCES D. (MRS. MILO G.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KELLOGG, LEROY D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KELTON, DWIGHT H.  
Corresponding Member 1886-

KERFOOT, ALICE GRAY  
Corresponding Member 1913-

KERFOOT, ANNIE WARFIELD LAWRENCE  
(MRS. SAMUEL H.)  
Annual Governing Member 1904-1908

KERFOOT, SAMUEL HUMES  
Life Member 1869-1896

KERFOOT, SAMUEL HUMES, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1891  
Corresponding Member 1892-1894  
Life Member 1894-1912

KERFOOT, WILLIAM DALE  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872, 1883-

KLENER, JACOB L.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

KIDDER, NATHAN B.  
Life Member 1869-1875

KIMBALL, CHARLES P.  
Annual Governing Member 1883-1884

KIMBALL, CHARLES P.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

KIMBALL, CORTEA N.  
Honorary Life Member 1916-

KIMBALL, EUGENE S.  
Annual Governing Member 1897-

KIMBALL, WILLIAM HABEN  
Corresponding Member 1861-1892

KIMBALL, WILLIAM WALLACE  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1903

KIMBARK, CHARLES A.  
Annual Governing Member 1815-1918

KING, MRS. AURELIA R. CARE  
Annual Governing Member 1899

KING, CHARLES GARFIELD  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

KING, DAVID  
Honorary Member 1826-1882

KING, FRANCIS  
Annual Governing Member 1881-

KING, HENRY WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1889  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1880

KINNEY, HENRY CLAY  
Corresponding Member 1879

KINNEY, FRANK  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

KINZIE, JOHN HARRIS  
Annual Governing Member 1856  
Life Member 1863-1865

KINZIE, JULIETTE A. MAGILL  
Honorary Member 1863-1870

KIRSCHBERGER, RICHARD S.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

KIRK, JAMES ALEXANDER  
Annual Governing Member 1803-1807

KIRK, JOHN BALDERSTON  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1914

KIRK, WALTER RADCLIFFE  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

KIRKLAND, CAROLINE  
Honorary Annual Member 1916-

KIRKLAND, JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1901

KISTER, JOHN W.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

KIFF, MAX  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KIFF, NATHAN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KIFF, SIMON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KNAPP, ARTHUR MASON  
Corresponding Member 1883-1898

KNAPP, GEORGE S.  
Corresponding Member 1886-1904

KOPHNE, WILLIAM LOUIS  
Corresponding Member 1913-

KOHL, JOHANN GEORGE  
Honorary Member 1856-1878

KOHLSTAAT, CHRISTIAN C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KOHLSTAAT, HERMAN HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1886-1904  
Corresponding Member 1904

KOHNSTAMM, MAX V.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KUNZ, L. G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

KUTTNER, E. H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

LAFLIN, GEORGE HINMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1904  
Donated Bronze Medallion of Matthew Laflin

LAFLIN, LOUIS ELLSWORTH  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

LAKE, DAVID J.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

LAMB, FRANK H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LAMONT, ROBERT P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LANE, EBENEZER  
Corresponding Member 1863-1900

LANGHORST, HENRY A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LANYON, ROBERT H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LAPHAM, INCREASE ALLEN  
Corresponding Member 1856-1873

LARNED, EDWIN CHANNING  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871, 1882-1884  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

LARNED, SHERWOOD J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LARNED, WALTER CRANSTON  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1885, 1901-1902

LARRABEE, CHARLES ROLLIN  
Annual Governing Member 1878-1881

LARSON, LOUIS E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LARSON, PETER L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LASKER, ALBERT D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LATHROP, BRYAN  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1916

LATHROP, GARDINER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LATHROP, HELEN L. ALDIS (Mrs. BRYAN)  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1909

LAUREN, NEWTON B.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

LAVARY, GEORGE L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LAWRENCE, CHARLES BURRALL  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

LAWRENCE, DWIGHT  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1910

LAWRENCE, EDWARD FRANKLIN  
Annual Governing Member 1909

LAWSON, VICTOR FREMONT  
Annual Governing Member 1906

LAY, ALBERT TRACY  
Annual Governing Member 1900

LEAKE, JOSEPH B.  
Associate Member 1877-1884

LEARNED, EDWIN J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEAVITT, JOSEPH P.  
Corresponding Member 1881-1882

LEBEAU, EMILY BEAUBIEN (MRS. ROBERT)  
Corresponding Member 1911-

LEE, DAVID STEWART  
Annual Governing Member 1859-1860

LEE, MRS. FRANCES G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEEDS, WILLIAM BATEMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1901

LEFFENS, THIIS JACOB  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1913  
Contributed \$50 toward purchase of Peik Papers

LEFFENS, WALTER C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEGGE, ALEXANDER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEHMANN, E. J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEHMANN, MRS. MARIE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEHMANN, OTTO W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEICHT, EDWARD ALBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1915

LEITER, JOSEPH  
Life Member 1894-

LEITER, LEVI ZIEGLER  
Life Member 1864-1883  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1904  
Contributed the entire expense of printing Vols. 1,  
2 and 3 of the Society's Collections  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1877  
Contributed \$2,500 towards canceling Society's debt  
Contributed \$6,000 to Building erected 1896

LELAND, EDWARD F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LE MOYNE, JOHN V.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

LEONARD, ARTHUR G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LEONARD, EDWARD FRASER  
Corresponding Member 1890-1915

LEONARD, STEPHEN L.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LESTER, JOHN TIBBETTS  
Annual Governing Member 1898-1900

LEVERETT, WASHINGTON  
Corresponding Member 1889-1899

LEVY, MORRIS F.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LEWIS, BENJAMIN F.  
Corresponding Member 1892-

LEWIS, D. D.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LEWIS, DAVID ROBERT  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LICHTSTERN, ADOLPH  
Honorary Life Member 1916-

LIMEL, C. B.  
Annual Governing Member 1905

LILL, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1898-1915  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1908

LILLE, FRANK R.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LINCOLN, ABRAHAM  
Honorary Member 1911-1915

LINCOLN, ROBERT TODD  
Annual Governing Member 1909  
Contributed \$100 toward First Prize

LINDQUIST, JOSEPH E.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LINS, WILLIAM R.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LIPPINCOTT, CHARLES E.  
Corresponding Member 1888-1887

LIPPINGOTT, THOMAS  
Corresponding Member 1850-1859

LLEWELLYN, JOHN T.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LLOYD, MRS. JESSIE BROWN  
Governing Life Member 1870-1909

LLOYD, WILLIAM BROWN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LOEB, ALBERT H.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

LOESCH, FRANCIS J.  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1895  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LOWENSTEIN, SIDNEY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LOGAN, FRANK G.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

LOMBARD, JOSIAH L.  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1902

LONG, JOHN CONANT  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1891

LONG, JOHN TURNER  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1923  
Corresponding Member 1894-

LONG, MRS. JOSEPH B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LONG, STEPHEN HARRIMAN  
Corresponding Member 1859-1864

LOOMIS, HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1880-1886

LOOMIS, HORATIO GATES  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1865  
Life Member 1865-1900  
Contributed \$200 to Building Fund 1860

LOOMIS, JOHN MASON  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1900

LOOMIS, MARY HUNT (MRS. JOHN MASON)  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1910

LOORD, JOHN BROCKITT  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1914

LORING, SANFORD F.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

LOUTERBACK, WILLIAM J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

LOWDEN, FRANK ORREN  
Governing Life Member 1904

LOWE, JOHN W.  
Annual Governing Member 1914

LOWTHER, THOMAS D.  
Annual Member 1881-1887

JOHNSON, ANTHONY JOHNSON  
Corresponding Member 1878-1881

JURKIN, WALLACE W.  
Honorary Life Member 1910

LAUL, OLIVER R. W.  
Associate Member 1886-1889

LYFORD, WILL HARTWELL  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LYNCH, JOHN A.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

LYON, JOHN K.  
Honorary Annual Member 1914

LYON, MRS. THOMAS R.  
Honorary Annual Member 1915

LYTTON, HENRY CHARLES  
Life Member 1900

MAAS, J. EDWARD  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

MC AULAY, JOHN T.  
Annual Governing Member 1895

MC BIRNEY, DAY  
Annual Governing Member 1910

MC CAGG, EZRA BUTLER  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1882  
Life Member 1865-1906  
Honorary Life Member 1907-1908  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1888

MC CAGG, THERESE DAVIS (MRS. EZRA BUTLER)  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MACCHESNEY, NATHAN WILLIAM  
Honorary Life Member 1911

MC CLELLAN, GEORGE Brinton  
Associate Member 1858-1859

MC CLINTOCK, SARAH A.  
(MRS. WILLIAM HICKLING)  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1887  
Contributed \$500 toward general expenses of the  
Society

MC CLURG, ALEXANDER CALDWELL  
Annual Governing Member 1878-1881

MC CLURG, GILBERT  
Corresponding Member 1907

MC CLURG, VIRGINIA DONAGHE (MRS. GILBERT)  
Corresponding Member 1907

**McCONNELL, CHARLES HENRY**  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1916

**McCORD, DAVID ROSS**  
Corresponding Member 1897-

**McCORMICK, ALEXANDER AGNEW**  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1903  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**McCORMICK, CYRUS HALL**  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1884  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building erected 1868

**McCORMICK, CYRUS HALL, JR.**  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1894  
Life Member 1894-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907-  
Contributed \$500 to Building erected 1896

**McCORMICK, HAROLD FOWLER**  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

**McCORMICK, HARRIET B. HAMMOND**  
(**Mrs. CYRUS HALL**)  
Annual Governing Member 1916

**McCORMICK, LEANDER JAMES**  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1889

**McCORMICK, NETTIE FOWLER**  
(**Mrs. CYRUS HALL, McCORMICK, SR.**)  
Honorary Life Member 1895  
Contributed \$2,500 to Building erected 1896

**McCORMICK, ROBERT HALL**  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1885, 1901-1906

**McCORMICK, ROBERT SANDERSON**  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1904

**McCORMICK, STANLEY**  
Annual Governing Member 1899-

**McCORMICK, WILLIAM SANDERSON**  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1865  
Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1868

**McCREA, SAMUEL HARKNESS**  
Annual Governing Member 1830-1887

**McCREA, WILLY S.**  
Annual Governing Member 1912-

**McCULLOCH, DAVID**  
Corresponding Member 1904-1907

**MACDONALD, CHARLES A.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

McDONELL, WILLIAM S. L.  
Honorary Annual Member 1918

MC EWES, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1971-1972

MACLAURIN, HENRY J.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

MFARLAND, W. W.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC GEE, WILLIAM JOHN  
Corresponding Member 1904-1912

MC GOVERN, JAMES J.  
Corresponding Member 1886-1914

MC GRAW, A. H.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC ILVAINE, WILLIAM BROWNS  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC ILVAINE, WILLIAM DICKSON  
Annual Governing Member 1899

MC INNERNEY, THOMAS H.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC KAY, JAMES R.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

MC KENNAN, H.  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1871  
Contributed \$200 to Building Fund 1867

MC KINLOCK, GEORGE ALEXANDER  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1915  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MACKLIN, C. G.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC LAREN, WILLIAM EDWARD  
Honorary Member 1858-1902

MACLEOD, ANDREW  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MACLEOD, BRIAN  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC LENNAN, HUGH  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MC MASTERS, STERLING YOUNG  
Corresponding Member 1856-1873

MACMILLAN, THOMAS CUNNING  
Annual Governing Member 1902-1910

McMILLAN, W. M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

McMULLEN, JOHN  
Honorary Member 1879-1883

McMULLIN, FRANK ROSWELL  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1911

McQUILKIN, A. H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MACVEAGH, EAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1915

MACVEAGH, FRANKLIN  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1900

McVICKER, JAMES HUBERT  
Life Member 1883-1896  
Contributed \$500 to Building erected 1896  
Donated Portrait of John Blake Rice

McWILLIAMS, LAFAYETTE  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1905

McWILLIAMS, THOMAS GOODMAN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MADLENER, ALBERT F.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

MAGEE, HAINES H.  
Annual Governing Member 1859-1879  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building erected 1868

MAGILL, HENRY WELLS  
Annual Governing Member 1915

MAGILL, HENRY P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MAGNUS, MRS. AUGUST C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MAIR, CHARLES A.  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1910

MANDEL, MRS. EMANUEL  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

MANIERRE, GEORGE  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1897

MANIERRE, GEORGE, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1900, 1910-

MANIERRE, WILLIAM R.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

MANN, CHARLES WILLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1909

MANSON, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Annual Member 1899

MARBUCK, BRUNO BENJAMIN  
Corresponding Annual Member 1918

MARGRY, PIERRE  
Honorary Member 1879-1884

MARK, CLAYTON  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

MARSH, GEORGE PERKINS  
Corresponding Member 1829-1882

MARSTON, THOMAS BRUNTON  
Corresponding Annual Member 1910

MARTIN, ISABELLE HOLLISTER (Mrs. FRANKLIN H.)  
Corresponding Annual Member 1918

MARTIN, JOSEPH STANLEY  
Corresponding Member 1905-1916

MASON, ARTHUR J.  
Corresponding Annual Member 1918

MASON, EDWARD GAY  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1888

MASON, FAY CALIGOUN (Mrs. HENRY B.)  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1917

MASON, HENRY BURALL  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1899

MASON, JULIA STARKWEATHER  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1906

MASON, JULIAN STARKWEATHER  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

MASON, ROIWELL B.  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1873, 1883-1891

MATHER, ALONZO C.  
Corresponding Life Member 1916

MATHER, HIRAM F.  
Associate Member 1856-1859

MATTHEWS, FRANK R.  
Corresponding Annual Member 1910

MAURY, MATTHEW FONTAINE  
Honorary Member 1859-1873

MAXWELL, EDWARD E.  
Corresponding Annual Member 1916

MAYER, LEVY  
Annual Governing Member 1901  
Contributed \$25 toward Defense of Justice

**MAIER, MRS. LEVY**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MAIER, OSCAR F.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MAIER, OSCAR G.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MEACHAM, MRS. C. O.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MEACHAM, ELIZA HOYT**  
Corresponding Member 1886-1898

**MEAD, GEORGE H.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MEARS, CARRIE ELLEN**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MEARS, CHARLES**  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

**MEARS, NATHAN**  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

**MICHEN, FLOYD R.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MEDILL, JOSEPH**  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1871, 1897-1899  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

**MEIKER, ARTHUR BURR**  
Life Member 1865-1901

**MEEST, WILLIAM AUGUSTUS**  
Corresponding Member 1905-

**MENARD, PETER ABIJAH**  
Corresponding Member 1889-

**MENGE, FREDERICK**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MINTZER, JOHN P.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MERRICK, ZELLA**  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

**MERRILL, WILLIAM H.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**MERRYWEATHER, GEORGE**  
Annual Governing Member 1899

**METZENBERG, LEOPOLD**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

METZGER, FREDERICK  
Corresponding Member 1874-1893

MEYER, LEWIS F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MEYERFORD, GEORGE R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MEYNE, GERHARDT F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MILKE, FRANCIS J. M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MILLER, ANAHN S.  
Corresponding Member 1863-1891

MILLER, DARIUS  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1913

MILLER, HENRY GILES  
Associate Member 1858-1901  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1865, 1888-1890

MILLER, JOHN J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MILLER, JOHN STOCKER  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

MILLER, JOSEPH L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MILLER, WILLIAM SOUTHWORTH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MILLS, LUTHER LAFLIN  
Annual Governing Member 1863-1898

MILLS, WILLIAM C.  
Corresponding Member 1861-

MISER, MRS. WILLIAM H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

MISORTOW, HENRY  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

MITCHELL, JOHN JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

MITCHELL, OLIVER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MITCHELL, WILLIAM ARTHUR RIGHT  
Corresponding Member 1863

MIXER, A. H.  
Corresponding Member 1858-1859

MITH, ALBERT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MOHR, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1898

MOHR, LOUIS  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

MONROE, WILLIAM STANTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MONTGOMERY, FRANK B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MOORE, GEORGE HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1862

MOORE, JAMES HOBART  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1909

MOORE, NATHAN GRIER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MOORE, ROBERT  
Life Member 1870

MOORE, SILAS MILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1901

MORAND, SIMON J.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

MORGAN, ALDEN K.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

MORGAN, FREDERICK WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1914

MORRILL, DONALD L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MORRIS, EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1913

MORRIS, FRANK M.  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1910

MORRIS, HENRY CRITTENDEN  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1909

MORRIS, IRA NELSON  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1909  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

MORRIS, SEYMOUR  
Annual Governing Member 1909-

MORRISON, EMMA H. (MRS. CHARLES E.)  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

MORRON, JOHN R.  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1913

MORSE, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

MORSE, JAY COLLINS  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1906

MORTON, JOY  
Annual Governing Member 1899-

MORTON, MARK  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

MORSE, FLAVEL  
Honorary Life Member 1899-1903

MORSE, ADOLPH  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1905

MORSE, JOHN  
Associate Member 1886-1897  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1903

MOSHER, CHARLES DELAVAN  
Honorary Member 1880-1897

MOSS, ROBERT EDWARD  
Life Member 1870

MOTLEY, JOHN LATHROP  
Honorary Member 1862-1877

MOTT, RUSSELL  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MOULTON, D. A.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

MULLER, PAUL F.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MULLIKEN, ALFRED HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1911

MULLIKEN, CHARLES HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1913

MUNGER, ALBERT ALLISON  
Life Member 1869-1883  
Honorary Member 1883-1898  
Contributed \$1,000 toward carrying Society's debt

MUNGER, ORETT LYMAN  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

MUNGER, WELLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1871  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1868

MUNN, IRA Y.  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871

MUNROE, CHARLES A.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

MURRAY, ROBERT H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NASH, HENRY H.  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1888

NATHAN, ADOLPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NEELY, CARRIE BLAIR  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NELSON, FANNY BENNETT  
Annual Governing Member 1908-1912

NELSON, MURRY  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1897

NELSON, WALTER CHEESMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1908

NELSON, WILLIAM P.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

NEWBERRY, WALTER CASS  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1912  
Bequeathed \$300 to the Society

NEWBERRY, WALTER LOOMIS  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1865  
Life Member 1865-1868  
Contributed \$4,100 to Building erected 1868

NEWCASTLE, HENRY PELHAM CLINTON, DUKE OF  
Honorary Member 1860-1864

NEWELL, ANNA  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

NEWELL, JOHN  
Associate Member 1880-1894  
Annual Governing Member 1894

NEWMAN, JACOB  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

NICKERSON, J. F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NICKERSON, SAMUEL MAYO  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871  
Life Member 1871-1883  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1914  
Contributed \$750 to Building erected 1868  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1877  
Contributed \$1,000 towards canceling Society's debt

NIEUWENKAMP, LOBERTUS J. J.  
Associate Member 1879-1883

NIXON, WILLIAM R.  
 Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
 Considered \$100 in Building Fund 1868

NOEL, JOSEPH F.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NOLAN, JOHN HENRY  
 Annual Governing Member 1913

NDLITE, FREDERICK  
 Honorary Member 1881

NORCROSS, FREDERICK F.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NORRIS, WILLIAM W.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NOVAK, CHARLES  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NOYELL, ERNEST HIGH  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NOYELL, LAVERNE W.  
 Annual Governing Member 1901  
 Considered \$150 for pasting

NOYELL, THOMAS S.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

NYE, JAMES W.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OAKLEAF, JOSEPH B.  
 Corresponding Member 1829-

OAKLEY, HORACE SWEENEY  
 Annual Governing Member 1811-

O'BRIEN, JOHN J.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916-

O'BRIEN, W. V.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

O'CALLAGHAN, EDMUND BAILEY  
 Corresponding Member 1827-1887

OCHSNER, ALBERT J.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

O'CONNOR, JEREMIAH D.  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

ODELL, JOHN J. P.  
 Annual Governing Member 1888-1894

ODELL, WILLIAM RICE  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

O'DONOGHUE, MARGARET MARIA  
 Associate Member 1884-1905

OLINE, THEODORE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OFFICER, ALEXANDER  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1862

OFFIELD, CHARLES K.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OGDEN, FRANCES E. SHELDON  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1901  
Bequeathed \$5,000 to the Society

OGDEN, MAHON DICKERSON  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1857  
Life Member 1865-1880  
Contributed \$300 to Building erected 1868

OGDEN, WILLIAM BUTLER  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1865  
Life Member 1865-1877  
Contributed \$3,500 to Building erected 1868  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1877

OGDEN, WILLIAM BUTLER  
Corresponding Member 1888-1891  
Life Member 1894-

OGLE, GEORGE A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OGLESBY, RICHARD JAMES  
Honorary Member 1864-1879

O'KEEFFE, P. J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OLMSTEAD, LEMUEL G.  
Corresponding Member 1868-1870

OLMSTED, LUCIUS D.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

OSAHAN, WILLIAM J.  
Corresponding Member 1880-

ORB, JOHN A.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1901  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ORMONDE, WILLIAM JENNINGS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ORTH, DANIEL A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

OBORN, CHARLES M.  
Annual Governing Member 1890-1891

OBORN, WILLIAM HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1864

O'SHAUGHNESSY, THOMAS A.  
Corresponding Member 1881-  
OTENRIEDER, RICHARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
OTIS, CHARLES LILLINGSTAFF  
Annual Governing Member 1911  
OTIS, EPHRAIM A.  
Associate Member 1878-1893  
OTIS, JOSEPH E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
OTIS, LUCIUS JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1909  
OTIS, RALPH C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
OTIS, WILLIAM A.  
Annual Governing Member 1887-1893  
OTTOFY, MRS. FRANCES HEALD  
Corresponding Member 1915-  
PABST, FRIDOLIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
PACKARD, GEORGE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
PAEPCKE, HERMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1914  
PAGE, BENJAMIN VAUGHAN  
Life Member 1895-  
PAGE, JOHN W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
PAGE, WALTER HINES  
Corresponding Member 1904-  
PAINE, CLARENCE SUMNER  
Corresponding Member 1910-1916  
PALMER, HONORI  
Life Member 1901-  
PALMER, PERCY W.  
Associate Member 1881-1882  
PALMER, POTTER  
Annual Governing Member 1878-1882  
PALMER, POTTER, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1916  
PALTZER, C. A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

## PAM, MAX

Annual Governing Member 1916

## PARDEE, THERON

Annual Governing Member 1868-1871

Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1868

## PARKER, EDWARD JARVIS

Corresponding Member 1906-1912

## PARKER, NATHAN HOWE

Corresponding Member 1863-

## PARKER, PETER

Honorary Member 1859-1888

## PARKINSON, ROBERT H.

Annual Governing Member 1916

## PARKMAN, FRANCIS

Corresponding Member 1858-1893

## PARSONS, JOHN C.

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

## PATTEN, HENRY J.

Annual Governing Member 1912

Contributed \$100 to the Society

## PATTERSON, ROBERT WILSON

Annual Governing Member 1857-1858

Corresponding Member 1878-1894

## PATTERSON, ROBERT WILSON, JR.

Annual Governing Member 1897

## PAULING, EDWARD G.

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

## PAYNE, JOHN BARTON

Annual Governing Member 1910-

## PAYSON, GEORGE SHIPMAN

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

## PEABODY, AUGUSTUS S.

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

## PEABODY, FRANCIS STUYVESANT

Annual Governing Member 1911-

## PEARSONS, DANIEL KIMBALL

Annual Governing Member 1877-1883

Honorary Life Member 1883-1912

Contributed \$1,000 towards canceling Society's debt

Contributed \$5,000 to Building erected 1896

## PEARLY, JAMES C.

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PECK, CLARENCE EVER  
Annual Governing Member 1915-1916

PECK, FERDINAND WYTHE  
Annual Governing Member 1915-1916

PECK, JOHN MARSH  
Corresponding Member 1856-1859

PECK, KATE TYRRELL (MRS. BRONSON)  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

PECK, P. F. W.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

PEIT, STEPHEN DENISON  
Corresponding Member 1861-1914

PELOUZE, WILLIAM NELSON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PENCE, ABRAHAM M.  
Annual Governing Member 1885-1894

PERCE, LEGRAND WINFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1897

PERLEY, EDWARD E.  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

PERRIS, WILLIAM H.  
Corresponding Member 1881-1891

PERRY, AMOS  
Corresponding Member 1875-1899

PETERSEN, MRS. EDWARD  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PETERSON, CHARLES S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PETERSON, PAUL CHRISTIAN  
Corresponding Member 1906-1910  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

PETTICLORE, MRS. EMMA L.  
Corresponding Member 1886-

PETTIBONE, ADA G.  
Annual Governing Member 1881-1899

PHelps, ERKINE M.  
Annual Governing Member 1885-1910

PHIMISTER, D. B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PHILLIMORE, WILLIAM P. W.  
Corresponding Member 1864-

PHILLIPS, THOMAS S.  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1861

PICK, GEORGE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PICKERING, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1862-1873

PIERCE, CHARLES J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PIEZ, CHARLES  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PIKE, CHARLES BURRALL  
Annual Governing Member 1916

PIKE, EUGENE ROCKWELL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PIKE, EUGENE SAMUEL  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1916

PINKERTON, WILLIAM A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PIRIE, JOHN T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PITCHER, JOHN C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PITKIN, CHARLOTTE WHITFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1906  
Dotted Topographical model of first Fort Dearborn

PITKIN, EDWARD H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PITKIN, HARVEY ELLICOIT  
Annual Governing Member 1898

PLATT, CHARLES D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PLUNKETT, WILLIAM H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

POMEROY, MRS. CHRISTINA K.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

POND, IRVING KANE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

POOLE, ISAAC A.  
Associate Member 1864-1865

POOLE, RALPH H.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

POOLE, WILLIAM FREDERICK  
Honorary Member 1877-1894

POPE, CHARLES  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

PROFFER, ELIA T. FRENCH (Mrs. HENRY H.)  
Honorary Life Member 1916

PORTER, GEORGE FRENCH  
Annual Governing Member 1919

PORTER, HENRY HEDGE  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907-1919  
Contribution \$1,000 to Building Fund 1908

PORTER, HENRY H., JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1909

PORTER, ORIN W.  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1908

POWER, HORATIO NELSON  
Honorary Member 1891

PREBLE, ROBERT B.  
Sustaining Animal Member 1916

PRESTICE, SARTELL  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1902

PRESTON, MILDRED JESKINS (Mrs. JACKSON M.)  
Corresponding Member 1911

PРЕСЧИТ, ВИЛЛАМ ХИКЛІНГ  
Honorary Member 1887-1899

PРЕІР, ЯКОВ Н.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

PРЕІЧ, ВІНСЕНТ КЛАРЕНС  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1911

PRIEKITT, GEORGE W.  
Corresponding Member 1882-1897

PRUHING, GEORGE C.  
Sustaining Animal Member 1916

PULLMAN, GEORGE MORTIMER  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1897  
Contribution \$5,000 to Building Fund 1908  
Contribution \$10,000 to General Fund

PULLMAN, HARRIET A. SANDEE (Mrs. GEORGE M.)  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

PURCELL, JOSEPH D.  
Sustaining Animal Member 1916

PUTNAM, ELIZABETH DUNCAN  
Corresponding Member 1909

PUTNAM, JOHN A.  
Sustaining Animal Member 1916

PUTNAM, WILLIAM CLEMENT  
Corresponding Member 1905-1906

QUALE, DR. MILTON MILTON  
Corresponding Member 1911-

QUAN, HENRY W.  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1916

QUAN, THOMAS A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

QUAN, WILLIAM JOSEPH  
Life Member 1870-1888

QUICK, JOHN H. S.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

QUINCY, CHARLES F.  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1899

QUINE, WILLIAM E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RADERBAUGH, WILLIAM  
Corresponding Member 1906-

RAFTREE, M. L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RAMSEY, WILLIAM R.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

RATHBORNE, WILLIAM W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RAWSON, STEPHEN W.  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1903

RAY, CHARLES HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1870  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1868

RAYMOND, BENJAMIN WRIGHT  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1865  
Life Member 1885-1883  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1868

RAYMOND, HENRY J.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

REA, MRS. ROBERT LAUGHLIN  
Sustaining Life Member 1917

REAM, NORMAN BRUCE  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1900

REDINGTON, W. H.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

REDLICH, OTTO H., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REDMOND, LILY MEDDRUM (MRS. DAVID)  
Corresponding Member 1903-1911

REED, CHARLES BERT  
Corresponding Member 1910-

REED, FRANK F.  
Annual Governing Member 1906

REED, JOSEPH SAMPHON  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1899  
Life Member 1869

REED, SAMUEL IRVING  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REEVES, OWEN T., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REHM, WILLIAM HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1905-

REID, DANIEL GRAY  
Annual Governing Member 1899

REID, ROBERT  
Life Member 1868-1892

REID, WILLIAM PATRICK  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1914

RENTHAW, W. F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REQUA, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REVILL, ALEXANDER HAMILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1899

REW, IRWIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REYNOLDS, EARL H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

REYNOLDS, GEORGE M.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

REYNOLDS, JOHN  
Honorary Member 1857-1865

REYNOLDS, MONTGOMERY A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RICHARDSON, LEVANT M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RICKCORD, FRANCIS STANLEY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RIDER, MARK D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RIDGWAY, WILLIAM  
Annual Governing Member 1916

**RIPLEY, EDWARD PAYSON**  
Annual Governing Member 1859

**RIPLEY, ROBERT H.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**RITTENHOUSE, MRS. MOSIS F.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROACH, J. M.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROBBINS, ALLEN**  
Honorary Life Member 1859-1864

**ROBERTS, CLARK T.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROBERTS, JAMES HENRY**  
Annual Governing Member 1904-1906  
Life Member 1906  
Donated portraits of Gen. John Edgar and wife

**ROBERTSON, ALEXANDER**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROBINSON, THEODORE W.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROBINSON, W. L.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROCKWELL, CHARLES H.**  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1859

**ROCKWELL, JOHN**  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1859

**ROEHLING, OTTO G.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROGERS, CASHIUS C.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROGERS, CHARLES**  
Honorary Member 1880

**ROGERS, EDWARD KENDALL**  
Associate Member 1858-1862  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1883  
Contributed \$750 to Building erected 1878

**ROGERS, LUTHER C.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**ROGERS, SUSAN C.**  
Honorary Life Member 1916

**ROGERS, WALTER ALEXANDER**  
Annual Governing Member 1914

**ROLON, ROBERT W.**  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1910

ROOD, JAMES, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1907

ROOSEVELT, THEODORE  
Honorary Member 1908

ROSE, JAMES ALEXANDER  
Corresponding Member 1903-1912

ROSE, LADISLUS C.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

ROSENBERG, JACOB  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1908

ROSENSTEIN, MARIAH  
Annual Governing Member 1902

ROSENTHAL, JAMES  
Sustaining Annual Member 1911

ROSENTHAL, JULIUS  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1890  
Corresponding Member 1896-1905

ROSENTHAL, LEONARD  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

ROSENWALD, JULIUS  
Annual Governing Member 1910

ROSENWALD, MRS. JULIUS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ROSENWALD, LEONARD J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ROSENWALD, MORRIS S.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

ROUILLIER, ALBERT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ROWLANDS, LAMONT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ROWLEY, JAMES F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

ROZET, GEORGE H.  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1875

RUBENS, HARRY  
Annual Governing Member 1903

RUBOVITCH, TONY  
Sustaining Life Member 1910

RUDOLPH, FRANKLIN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RUECKHEIM, LOUIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

RUELL, JOHN G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RUMBLEY, GEORGE DOLI  
Annual Governing Member 1916

RUMBLEY, GEORGE FREDERICK  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1868  
Life Member 1869-1881  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1877

RUMBLEY, ISRAEL PARSONS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RUMBLEY, JULIAN SIDNEY  
Associate Member 1858-1870  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1886  
Contributed \$100 to Building 1877

RUNNELLS, CLIVE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RUNNELLS, JOHN SUMNER  
Annual Governing Member 1897-

RUSSELL, EDWARD PERRY  
Annual Governing Member 1910

RUSSELL, JOHN  
Corresponding Member 1856-1863

RUST, HORATIO N.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1888

RUTTER, DAVID  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1902

RUTTER, WILLIAM McMURTHY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RYAN, JOHN M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RYDER, WILLIAM HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1867-1888

RYERSON, ARTHUR  
Annual Governing Member 1883-1901

RYERSON, DONALD M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RYERSON, EDWARD LARNED  
Annual Governing Member 1904-

RYERSON, EDWARD L., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

RYERSON, EMILY BORIE (MRS. ARTHUR)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**RYERSON, JOSEPH TURNER**  
*Annual Governing Member 1866-1871*  
*Life Member 1875-1884*  
*Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1868*  
*Contributed \$75 to Building Fund 1877*

**RYERSON, JOSEPH TURNER, II**  
*Annual Governing Member 1910*

**RYERSON, MARTIN ANTOINE**  
*Annual Governing Member 1884-1903*  
*Life Member 1881-1897*  
*Honorary Life Member 1907*  
*Contributed \$1000 to Building Fund 1896*

**SALISBURY, WARREN METCALF**  
*Annual Governing Member 1912*

**SALTONTAIL, FRANCIS G.**  
*Associate Member 1858-1859*

**SANBORN, VICTOR C.**  
*Secretary Annual Member 1916*

**SANFORD, EDWARD H.**  
*Annual Governing Member 1811-1813*

**SAPIELA, LOUIS**  
*Life Member 1879-1884*

**SARGENT, FREDERICK**  
*Secretary Annual Member 1906*

**SARGENT, HOMER EARL**  
*Annual Governing Member 1868-1880*

**SAVAGE, JAMES**  
*Honorary Member 1872-1873*

**SAWYER, SIDNEY**  
*Annual Governing Member 1879-1884*  
*Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1886*

**SAYLER, HARRY LINCOLN**  
*Annual Governing Member 1883-1901*  
*Corresponding Member 1908-1913*

**SCAMMON, CHARLES TRUFANT**  
*Annual Governing Member 1860-1863*  
*Life Member 1865-1876*

**SCAMMON, FRANKLIN**  
*Annual Governing Member 1896-1903*  
*Life Member 1893-1894*

**SCAMMON, JONATHAN YOUNG**  
*Annual Governing Member 1856-1865*  
*Life Member 1865-1880*  
*Contributed \$1000 to Building Fund 1868*

SCAMMON, MARIA SHELTON  
Life Member 1870-1901  
Donated portrait of J. V. Scammon  
to present historical treasury

SCHAFFER, OTTO  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

SCHAFFNER, JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1905

SCHAPPER, FERDINAND C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SCHARE, ALBERT FREDERICK  
Corresponding Member 1910

SCHLOESINGER, HENRY J.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

SCHLYTERN, CHARLES E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SCHMIDT, FREDERICK MICHAEL  
Annual Governing Member 1912

SCHMIDT, LOUIS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

SCHMIDT, OTTO LEOPOLD  
Annual Governing Member 1914-1917  
Life Member 1881-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907  
Contributed \$1000 toward Technical Library of  
Illinoian  
Established Children's Library November 1910 at  
cost of \$6000 a year  
Contributed \$150 to General Fund, \$250 in part  
payment of French Macmillan \$700 to defray postage  
expences of A. V. A., \$182 for collecting books, &c.

SCHMIDT, RICHARD ERNST  
Annual Governing Member 1913

SCHMITT, FRANK P.  
Annual Governing Member 1898-1907

SCHNEIDER, GEORG  
Associate Member 1888-1897

SCHNEIDER, OTTO C.  
Annual Governing Member 1908

SCHOTFIELD, JOHN R.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SCHOOLCRAFT, HENRY ROWE  
Corresponding Member 1898-1901

SCHROEDER, ALBERT W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SCRUFF, PHILIP C.  
Corresponding Member 1910-  
SCHUYLER, DANIEL J., JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCHWARTZ, HERBERT E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCHWEINZITZ, EDMUND ALEXANDER JR.  
Corresponding Member 1866-1867  
SCHWILL, JULIUS  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCOLEB, ROBERT L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCOTT, CAROLINE R. GREENE (MRS. JAMES W.)  
Annual Governing Member 1901-1904  
SCOTT, FRANK HAMILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1897-  
SCOTT, GEORGE E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCOTT, JOHN W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCOTT, ROBERT LINDRAY  
Annual Governing Member 1910-  
SCRIPPS, JOHN LOCKE  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1904  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1898  
SCUDER, JOHN ARNOLD  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1904  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCUDER, WILLIAM M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCULLY, DANIEL B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCULLY, MAURICE H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SCUMAN, GEORGE  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-  
SEARS, JOHN, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1904  
SEAVERN, GEORGE A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916  
SEEBERGER, LOUIS AUGUSTUS  
Annual Governing Member 1914

SEIPP, CATHARINA ORB  
Life Member 1900

SEIPP, CLARENCE T.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SEIPP, PHILIP W.  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

SEIPP, PHOEBE REHM (MRS. WILLIAM C.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SEIPP, WILLIAM CONRAD  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1912  
Contributed \$50 toward purchase of Palk Papers  
Bequeathed \$5,000

SELBY, PAUL  
Corresponding Member 1910-1913

SELLZ, EMANUEL F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SENG, FRANK J.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SERGEL, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SEXTON, JAMES A.  
Associate Member 1882-1884

SHAFFER, CHARLES B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHAFFER, JOHN C.  
Annual Governing Member 1913-

SHAFFER, JOHN WILSON  
Corresponding Member 1864-1870

SHAMBAUGH, GEORGE E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHANNON, ANGUS ROY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHANNON, JOHN R.  
Corresponding Member 1879-1882

SHAW, GILBERT B.  
Annual Governing Member 1889-1890

SHAW, HENRY  
Honorary Member 1880-

SHEAHAN, JAMES WASHINGTON  
Annual Governing Member 1870-1881

SHEDD, EDWARD A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHEDDEN, JAMES  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1911

SHEFFAN, JAMES M.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHELDON, EDWIS HOLMES  
 Annual Governing Member 1908-1910  
 Life Member 1886-1887  
 Honorary Life Member 1903-1909  
 Controversial \$2000 in Building exceed 1906  
 Controversial \$250 in Building exceed 1907  
 Controversial \$100 towards extending Society's lot  
 Controversial \$5000 in Building exceed 1908

SHEPARD, STUART G.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1913

SHERBURN, JOSEPH M.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916

SHERIFF, ANDREW R.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1914

SHERIFF, WALTER  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1915

SHERMAN, JAMES M.  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916

SHERWOOD, HENRY MARTIS  
 Annual Governing Member 1867-1869

SHIPMAN, GEORGE ELIAS  
 Corresponding Member 1858-1861

SHIPMAN, STEPHEN V.  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1879

SHIVVERICK, ABA F.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHOENBERGER, GEORGE K.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHOOTALL, JOHN GEORGE  
 Annual Governing Member 1888-1896

SHOOTALL, JOHN LOUIS  
 Annual Governing Member 1903

SHUMAN, ANDREW  
 Associate Member 1882-1887

SHUMMERS, FRANCIS L.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHUMMERS, PARKE E.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SHUMMERS, ORMAN C.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SIMERON, JAMES**  
Annual Governing Member 1892

**SKAGGS, WILLIAM H.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SKINNER, ELIZABETH**  
Annual Governing Member 1891-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907-  
Contributed \$1000 to Building created 1896, and  
\$25.00 annually until 1907, also valuable M.A.

**SKINNER, FREDERIKA**  
Annual Governing Member 1891-1907  
Honorary Life Member 1907-  
Contributed \$1000 to Building created 1896, and  
\$25.00 annually after 1907.

**SKINNER, MARK**  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1868  
Life Member 1868-1883  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1887  
Contributed \$1000 to Building created 1876  
Contributed \$250 to Building created 1877  
Contributed \$250 towards canceling Society's debt.

**SLADE, SAMUEL**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SMALL, ALVIN EDMOND**  
Life Member 1870-1886

**SMALL, EDWARD A.**  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1882

**SMALLWOOD, WILLIAM A.**  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1857

**SMITH, AMOS R.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SMITH, ANNA RICE (MRS. ORSON)**  
Annual Governing Member 1910-1917

**SMITH, BRUCE D.**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SMITH, BYRON LAFLIN**  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1881  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1914  
Contributed \$1000 to canceling Society's debt

**SMITH, C. F. MATHER**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SMITH, CARRIE STONE (MRS. BYRON LAFLIN)**  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**SMITH, CHARLES GILLMAN**  
Annual Governing Member 1864-1895

SMITH, CHARLES MATHER  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

SMITH, DELAVAN  
Annual Governing Member 1900-

SMITH, FREDERICK AUGUSTUS  
Annual Governing Member 1892-

SMITH, FREDERICK BELCHER  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1912

SMITH, GEORGE  
Life Member until 1900  
Contributed \$2,500 to Building Fund 1868

SMITH, GEORGE WASHINGTON  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1888

SMITH, GOLDWIN  
Honorary Member 1864-1910

SMITH, HENRY  
Associate Member 1854-1859

SMITH, JOHN CORSON  
Corresponding Member 1879-1910

SMITH, ORION  
Annual Governing Member 1886-  
Contributed \$50 for purchase of early Chicago  
maps 1878

SMITH, PERRY HIRAM  
Annual Governing Member 1855-1871  
Life Member 1871-1885

SMITH, PERRY HIRAM, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1894  
Corresponding Member 1894-1914

SMITH, ROBERT  
Corresponding Member 1828-1867

SMITH, SOLOMON ALBERT  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1879  
Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1868

SMITH, SOLOMON A.  
Annual Governing Member 1915

SMITH, T. H.  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1868

SMITH, VALENTINE  
Corresponding Member 1904-

SMITH, WILLIAM HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1906

SMULSKI, JOHN F.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SMYTH, JOHN M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SMYTH, THOMAS M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SNOW, HELEN E.  
Annual Governing Member 1907-1913

SNYDACKER, JOSEPH G.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SOPER, ALEXANDER C.  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1902

SOPER, JAMES P.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SOUTHWELL, HENRY E.  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1898

SPALDING, CHARLES F.  
Annual Governing Member 1909

SPALDING, ELIZABETH CLARK (MRS. CHARLES F.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SPALDING, JESSE  
Life Member 1867-1904

SPALDING, VAUGHAN C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SPARKS, EDWIN ERLE  
Corresponding Member 1906-

SPARKS, JARED  
Honorary Member 1855-1866

SPAULDING, HENRY ABIRAM  
Annual Governing Member 1893-1894

SPEAR, WILLIAM H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SPENCER, FRANKLIN FAYETTE  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1884

SPENCER, ROSWELL T.  
Corresponding Member 1914-

SPIELMAN, ADOLPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SPOOR, JOHN ALDEN  
Annual Governing Member 1809-

SPRAGUE, ALBERT ARNOLD  
Annual Governing Member 1886-1915

SPRAGUE, ALBERT ARTHUR, II  
Annual Governing Member 1910

SPRAGUE, OTTO SYLVESTER ARTHUR  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1906

SPROUL, A. W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

SPRY, JOHN C.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

STAFFORD, JOHN FRANCIS  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

STANTON, GEORGE E.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

STARK, JAMES LANDON  
Annual Governing Member 1863-1873  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1868

STARKWEATHER, FRANK H.  
Annual Governing Member 1896-1909

STARKWEATHER, RALPH EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1901

STARR, PROF. FREDERICK  
Corresponding Member 1914

STEARNS, CHARLES B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

STEARNS, RICHARD L.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

STEELE, D. A. K.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

STEIN, CHARLES  
Annual Governing Member 1871

STEIN, ERNST  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

STEPHEN, REDMOND D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

STEVENS, FRANK E.  
Corresponding Member 1909

STEVENS, HAROLD L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

STEVENS, SILAS C.  
Corresponding Member 1917

STEVENS, ABRAHAM EWING  
Honorary Member 1909-1914

STEVENSON, DAVID S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STEVENSON, ROBERT, JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STEWART, JOHN FLETCHER  
Corresponding Member 1903-1915

STEWART, JUDD  
Corresponding Member 1908-

STEWART, PRITCHARD  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1916

STICKNEY, EDWARD SWAN  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1861, 1877-1880

STICKNEY, ELIZABETH HAMMOND  
Annual Governing Member 1897  
Bequeathed private library of over 2,200 volumes,  
and \$5,000 for its care and increase; also portrait  
of Edward Swan Stickney

STILLWELL, HOMER A.  
Sustaining Life Member 1916-

STOCKTON, JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871, 1881-1884

STODDART, C. H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STONE, ANN ELIZABETH  
Corresponding Member 1850-1888

STONE, ELIZABETH A. YAGER  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1898

STONE, JAMES SAMUEL  
Annual Governing Member 1909

STONE, JOHN TIMOTHY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STONE, MELVILLE ELIJAH  
Annual Governing Member 1880-1889

STONE, SAMUEL  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1859  
Honorary Life Member 1859-1876

STONE, WILLIAM LEETE  
Honorary Member 1881

STOREY, SILAS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

STOREY, WILLIAM B.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

STOWE, H. M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STRADIS, LEO  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STRAWS, SILAS H.  
Annual Governing Member 1919

STRIDIRON, CHARLES E.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1926

STRONG, WILLIAM EMERSON  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1879

STRYKER, MELASUTHUS WOOLLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1888

STURGE, FRANK  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

STURGE, GEORGE  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872  
Contributed \$150 to Building Fund 1868

STURGE, MARY DELAFIELD  
Annual Governing Member 1895-1901

STURGE, SHELTON  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1872

STURGE, SOLOMON  
Associate Member 1856-1859

STURGE, SOLOMON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

STURGE, CHARLES INCHES  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SULLIVAN, BOETIUS H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SUMNER, CHARLES  
Honorary Member 1857-1874

SUNNY, BERNARD EDWARD  
Annual Governing Member 1910

SUSTER, JOHN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SUTCLIFFE, MRS. G. GARY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1919

SWARTH, HARRY L.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SWARINGEN, JAMES STRODE  
Corresponding Member 1903

SWIFT, ANNIE MAY (MRS. GUSTAVUS)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

SWIFT, EDWARD F.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-

SWIFT, WILLIAM HENRY  
Corresponding Member 1858-1869

SWING, DAVID  
Annual Governing Member 1894

TAFT, HARRY LEE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

TAFT, LEVI B.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

TAFT, OREN B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

TALBOTT, ELISHA H.  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1888

TALCOTT, EDWARD BENTON  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1865

TAYLOR, BERT LESTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

TAYLOR, CHARLES H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

TAYLOR, GEORGE HALLECK  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

TAYLOR, THOMAS, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1901

TENNEY, HARRIET A.  
Corresponding Member 1886-1899

TENNEY, HORACE KENT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

THACHER, EDWARD STRODE  
Corresponding Member 1903

THATCHER, JOHN M.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1883

THEURER, EMMA S. (MRS. JOSEPH)  
Annual Governing Member 1916

THEURER, PETER S.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

THOMASON, NELSON  
Annual Governing Member 1916

THOMPSON, DANIEL  
Life Member 1864-1900  
Contributed \$250 to Building erected 1868

THOMPSON, HARVEY M.  
Associate Member 1858-1869  
Annual Governing Member 1869  
Life Member 1869-1896

THOMPSON, JOHN LEVERETT  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1865

THOMPSON, JOHN R.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

THOMPSON, LEVERETT  
Secretary Annual Member 1876

THORNE, CHARLES HALETT  
Annual Governing Member 1916

THORNE, ELLEN CORE (MRS. GEORGE B.)  
Honorary Life Member 1916

THORNE, GEORGE A.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

THORNE, ROBERT J.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

THROOP, GEORGE ENOS  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

THURSTON, FRANK W.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

THWAITES, REUBEN GOLD  
Corresponding Member 1889-1913

TIFFET, HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1917

TİEDEN, WILLIAM A.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

TILLINGHAST, CALEB BENJAMIN  
Corresponding Member 1890

TILT, JOSEPH E.  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

TILOT, LUCIAN  
Annual Governing Member 1860-1875

TILOT, LUCRETIA JANE  
Annual Governing Member 1897-1906  
Bequeathed \$3,000 to the Society

TINKHAM, EDWARD DEAY  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1871

TOBBY, SIR ALPHÉUS  
Corresponding Member 1891-1904

TON, CORNELIUS J.  
Annual Governing Member 1906-1909

TOPLIFF, SAMUEL  
Secretary Annual Member 1916

TOWLIS, HENRY S.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

**TREE, LAMBERT**

Annual Governing Member 1851-1865  
Honorary Life Member 1905-1910  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1869  
Bequeathed valuable Mar-

**TRUDE, ALFRED S.**

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**TRUMBULL, LYMAN**

Honorary Member 1857-1866

**TUCKER, HENRY**

Associate Member 1858-1859

**TURCK, FINTON B.**

Annual Governing Member 1907-1910

**TURNER, JOHN BICE**

Associate Member 1858-1865  
Annual Governing Member 1865-1869  
Life Member 1869-1871  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund 1868

**TURNER, VOLUNTINE C.**

Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$300 to Building Fund 1868

**TUTTLE, FREDERICK BULLETT**

Annual Governing Member 1907

**TYLER, A. S.**

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**TYRRELL, JOHN**

Life Member 1871-1903

**TYRRELL, JOHN A.**

Annual Governing Member 1864-1870

**UIBLEIN, EDGAR J.**

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**UNDERWOOD, JOHN MILTON**

Annual Governing Member 1864-1865

**UNONIUS, GUSTAF**

Corresponding Member 1858-1902

**UPTON, GEORGE PUTNAM**

Corresponding Member 1864

**URION, ALFRED R.**

Sustaining Annual Member 1916

**VAN NAME, ADDISON**

Corresponding Member 1886-

**VAN NORWICK, WILLIAM M.**

Annual Governing Member 1908-1909

VAN SCHALK, HENRY CRIGER  
 Honorary Member 1869-1879  
 Honorary Life Member 1879-1897

VAN VECHTEN, RALPH  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

VAUX, FREDERICK L.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

VINCENT, WILLIAM ALEXANDER  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

VICKES, WILLIAM  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1878, 1904-1907

VOLTZ, DANIEL W.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WACKER, CHARLES HENRY  
 Annual Governing Member 1900-

WADSWORTH, FRANCIS L.  
 Annual Governing Member 1888-1891

WAGNER, EDWIN I.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WAGNER, EMIL W.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WAIT, HORATIO LOOMIS  
 Annual Governing Member 1892-1899  
 Corresponding Member 1913-16  
 Corresponding Annual Member 1910

WALDECK, HERMAN  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WALKER, CHARLES CORB  
 Annual Governing Member 1900-1901

WALKER, EDWIN SAWYER  
 Corresponding Member 1909-1912

WALKER, ELIA MARIE (MRS. JAMES M.)  
 Annual Governing Member 1905-1916

WALKER, GEORGE CLARKE  
 Life Member 1869-1908

WALKER, HENRY H.  
 Annual Governing Member 1897-

WALKER, JAMES BARR  
 Honorary Member 1877-1897

WALKER, JAMES MONROE  
 Annual Governing Member 1877-1879

WALKER, JAMES RANSON  
 Annual Governing Member 1911

WALKER, WILLIAM BENTLEY  
Annual Governing Member 1893

WALLACE, FLORIAN D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WALLER, EDWARD C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WALLER, JAMES B.  
Associate Member 1858-1859

WALLER, JAMES BRECKINRIDGE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WALLER, LILIA WATSON  
(MRS. ROBERT ALEXANDER)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WALLIN, THOMAS STRONGINTHEARM  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1905  
Corresponding Member 1906

WALSH, JAMES  
Annual Governing Member 1905-1908

WALSH, JOHN RICHARD  
Annual Governing Member 1882-1889

WALTON, S. B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WARD, EPHRAIM  
Associate Member 1858-1859

WARD, SAMUEL DIXTER  
Annual Governing Member 1856  
Honorary Member 1896-1905

WARD, THOMAS A. M.  
Corresponding Member 1877

WARD, TOWNSEND  
Corresponding Member 1861-1885

WARE, JOHN HERBERT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WARE, MRS. LYMAN  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WARFIELD, EDWIN A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WARNER, EZRA JOSEPH  
Annual Governing Member 1858-1907  
Life Member 1907-1910  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1896

WARNER, EZRA JOSEPH JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1911-1916

WARREN, HOOPER  
Corresponding Member 1855-1865

WARREN, JOHN LEAJAH  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1890

WASHBURN, ELIJAH BENJAMIN  
Honorary Member 1857-1869  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1887

WASHBURN, HEMPTSTEAD  
Annual Governing Member 1885-1890

WATERMAN, JAMES STARS  
Corresponding Member 1861-1883  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1872

WATKINS, ELIAS MARVIN  
Annual Governing Member 1884-1915  
Bequeathed \$1000 to the Society

WATKINS, ELIA TAYLOR  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1897  
Life Member 1897-1903  
Contributed \$500 to Building Fund 1896  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1907  
Bequeathed \$10,000

WATKINS, FREDERICK A.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

WATKINS, JESSE M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WATKINS, VINE A.  
Annual Governing Member 1862-1888

WATSON, ELIZA LUCRETIA (BOND)  
Corresponding Member 1905-

WATSON, GEORGE  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1971  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund 1886

WATSON, HATHAWAY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WATSON, WINBLOW CORRIGAN  
Corresponding Member 1859-1894

WAUGHOT, JOHN WEELEY  
Honorary Member 1856-1899

WEAVER, C. H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WEAVER, GEORGE HUTWELL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WEBER, HERMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1861-1914

WEBSTER, GEORGE  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building erected 1866

WEBSTER, GEORGE HUNTINGTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916-1917

WEBSTER, JOSEPH DANA  
Annual Governing Member 1856-1858

WEBB, DAVID SPENCER  
Annual Governing Member 1900-1917

WEIL, SARA A. (MRS. JULIUS E.)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WELCH, FLETCHER G.  
Annual Governing Member 1869-1871

WELCH, NINIAN HETTRICK  
Annual Governing Member 1909

WELLING, JOHN C.  
Annual Governing Member 1899-1906

WELLS, ALBERT EMORY  
Corresponding Member 1880-1916

WELLS, ARTHUR B.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WELLS, FREDERICK LATIMER  
Annual Governing Member 1905-

WELLS, WILLIAM HARVEY  
Corresponding Member 1857-1885

WESTWORTH, JOHN  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1871  
Life Member 1871-1888  
Contributed \$500 to Building erected 1868

WELCOTT, CASSIUS D.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WEST, ANNA OGDEN SHELDON  
(MRS. FREDERICK T.)  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

WESTON, CHARLES V.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WETMORE, FRANK O.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

WHEELER, CALVIN THATCHER  
Life Member 1869-1899

WHEELER, CHARLES PINCKNEY  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WHEELER, GEORGE HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1866-1899

WHEELER, HERM  
 Annual Governing Member 1864-1911  
 Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1869

WHIPPLE, HENRY BENJAMIN  
 Corresponding Member 1864-1901

WHITTLER, MAJOR GARLAND NELSON  
 Corresponding Member 1903-1914

WHITE, A. STANFORD  
 Annual Governing Member 1914-

WHITE, F. EDGAR  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WHITE, HORACE  
 Annual Governing Member 1868-1911  
 Honorary Member 1913-1916  
 Contributed \$250 to Building Fund 1869

WHITE, JAMES  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WHITE, JULIUS  
 Annual Governing Member 1860-1884  
 Associate Member 1864-1890

WHITEHEAD, GRACE M. LAFLIN  
 (MRS. ELISHA PAXTON)  
 Sustaining Life Member 1916

WHITEHOUSE, FREDERICK COPE  
 Honorary Member 1890-1911

WHITING, J. HILL  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WHITNEY, WILLIAM  
 Associate Member 1858-1861  
 Bequeathed his private Library and papers

WIENHOEGER, ERNST  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILDER, JOHN E.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILK, FREDERICK L.  
 Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILKINS, JOHN EDWARD  
 Associate Member 1858-1859

WILLARD, ELISHA WHEELER  
 Associate Member 1858-1859

WILLARD, DR. SAMUEL  
 Corresponding Member 1890-1911

WILLETT, JAMES R.  
 Associate Member 1860-1868

WILLIAMS, ANNA PERKINS  
Sustaining Life Member 1916

WILLIAMS, CHARLES E.  
Annual Governing Member 1879-1881

WILLIAMS, CORNELIA BARTOW  
Annual Governing Member 1916

WILLIAMS, FRANCIS B.  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1878

WILLIAMS, HARRY LEE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLIAMS, HOBART WHEATON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLIAMS, JOHN FLETCHER  
Corresponding Member 1890-1895

WILLIAMS, JOHN MARSHALL  
Annual Governing Member 1857-1858

WILLIAMS, LAWRENCE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLIAMS, NORMAN  
Annual Governing Member 1867-1899

WILLIAMS, SIDNEY  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1890

WILLIAMS, SIMON B.  
Annual Governing Member 1886-1890

WILLING, FRANCES SKINNER (MRS. HENRY J.)  
Annual Governing Member 1894-1904  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building erected 1896.

WILLING, HENRY JENKINS  
Annual Governing Member 1877-1883  
Honorary Life Member 1883-1903  
Contributed \$2,500 towards canceling Society's debt  
Contributed \$5,000 to Building erected 1896  
Bequeathed \$2,500 to Society

WILLING, MARK SKINNER  
Annual Governing Member 1909-

WILLIK, LLOYD M.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLITZ, WARD W.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLS, WAYNE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILLSON, ELEANOR FREER (MRS. RUSSELL)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WILMARTH, MARY JANE HAWK (Mrs. H. M.)  
Annual Governing Member 1905

WILMS, WILLIAM  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, BENJAMIN M.  
Annual Governing Member 1900

WILSON, CHARLES LURE  
Corresponding Member 1884-1879

WILSON, ELLA HITCHCOCK (Mrs. L. COX)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, J. ELLIOTT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, JAMES GRANT  
Corresponding Member 1865-1914

WILSON, JOHN McNEIL  
Annual Governing Member 1882  
Corresponding Member 1879-1903

WILSON, JOHN P.  
Annual Governing Member 1895

WILSON, JOHN P., JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1910

WILSON, MARTHA  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, MILTON  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, WALTER H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WILSON, WILLIAM, JR.  
Annual Governing Member 1887-1898

WINCHELL, B. L.  
Annual Governing Member 1912

WINCHELL, BENJAMIN LAFAYETTE, JR.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WINDHAGE, ALFRED W.  
Associate Member 1870-1871

WINDHOR, HENRY H.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WINTER, JOHN CARPENTER  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WINKELMAN, FREDERICK A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WINSTOW, FRANCIE A.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1910

WINSTON, FREDERICK HAMPDEN  
Annual Governing Member 1871-1883  
Life Member 1803-1904  
Contributed \$1,000 to Building Fund, 1896

WINSTON, FREDERICK SEYMOUR  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1909

WINTER, WALLACE C.  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WINTERBOOTH, JOSEPH  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WINTHROP, ROBERT CHARLES  
Honorary Member 1857-1894

WOLF, HENRY MILTON  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

WOLFF, HAROLD WITTE  
Annual Governing Member 1910-

WOOD, JAMES WHISTLER  
Corresponding Member 1903

WOODLAND, GEORGE  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WOODRUFF, JOSEPH BURDETT  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WOODRUFF, ROLLIER J.  
Corresponding Member 1881

WORTHY, MARTHA E. JOHNSON (MRS. JOHN)  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WRENN, ETHEL  
Sustaining Annual Member 1916

WRENN, JOHN HENRY  
Annual Governing Member 1903-1911

WRIGHT, AUGUSTINE W.  
Associate Member 1880-1893  
Daughter of his Father John S. Wright

YATES, RICHARD  
Honorary Member 1861-1873

YDE, PETER LYNCH  
Annual Governing Member 1804-1871  
Life Member 1871-1906

YOUNG, GEORGE W.  
Annual Governing Member 1803-1903

YOUNG, JAMES R.  
Annual Governing Member 1868-1871  
Contributed \$100 to Building Fund, 1896

YOUNG, SIR JOHN  
Honorary Member 1888-1896

YOUNG, KIMBALL  
Annual Governing Member 1888-1896

YOUNG, LAURENCE A.  
Honorary Annual Member 1910

ZELOFSKY, WILLIAM  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

ZIMMERMAN, AUGUST G.  
Annual Governing Member 1916

ZIMMERMANN, HERBERT P.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

ZIMMERMANN, WILLIAM F.  
Honorary Annual Member 1916

## CHARTER

### AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

WHEREAS, it is conducive to the public good of a State to encourage such institutions as have for their object to collect and preserve the memorials of its founders and benefactors, as well as the historical evidences of its progress in settlement and population, and in the arts, improvements, and institutions which distinguish a civilized community, and to transmit the same for the instruction and benefit of future generations:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That William H. Brown, William B. Ogden, J. Young Scammon, Mason Brayman, Mark Skinner, Geo. Mamiere, John H. Kinzie, J. V. Z. Blaney, E. I. Tinkham, J. D. Webster, W. A. Smallwood, V. H. Higgins, N. S. Davis, Charles H. Ray, S. D. Ward, M. D. Ogden, F. Scammon, E. B. McCagg, and William Barry, all of the City of Chicago, who have associated for the purpose aforesaid, be and are hereby formed into and constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the "CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY," and that they and their successors, and such others as shall be legally elected by them as their associates, shall be and continue a body politic and corporate, by that name, forever.*

SEC. 2. Said Society shall have power to elect a President, and all necessary officers, and shall have one common seal, and the same may break, change and renew at pleasure; and, as a body politic and corporate, by the name aforesaid, may sue and be sued, and prosecute and defend suits, both in law and equity, to final judgment and execution.

SEC. 3. The said Society shall have power to make all orders and by-laws for governing its members and property, not repugnant to the laws of this State; and may expel, disfranchise, or suspend any member, who, by his misconduct, shall be rendered unworthy, or who shall neglect or refuse to observe the rules and by-laws of this Society.

SEC. 4. The said Society may, from time to time, establish rules for electing officers and members, and also times and places for holding meetings, and is hereby empowered to take and hold real or personal estate, by gift, grant, devise, or purchase, or otherwise, and the same, or any part thereof, to alien and convey.

SEC. 5. The said Society shall have power to elect corresponding and honorary members thereof, in the various parts of this State and of the several United States, and also in foreign countries, at their discretion: *Provided*, however, that the number of resident members of said Society shall never exceed sixty; and William H. Brown, or any other person named in this act, is hereby authorized and empowered to notify and call together the first meeting of said Society, and the same Society, when met, shall agree upon a method for calling further meetings, and may have power to adjourn from time to time, as may be found necessary.

SEC. 6. Members of the Legislature of this State, in either branch, and Judges of the Supreme Court, and officers of State, shall and may have free access to said Society's library and cabinet.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

*Approved, February 7, 1857.*

AN ACT FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF THE  
CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

WHEREAS, it is a duty to past and coming generations, for the honor of the State, and benefit of its citizens, to collect, preserve and diffuse the materials of its early history, the memorials of its founders and benefactors, and the evidences of its progress in industry, arts and all the elements of an enlightened civilization; and whereas the CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY, acting under chartered powers from this State, has for several years past been actively and successfully engaged in prosecuting these laudable objects, and formed extensive collections of books, newspapers, pamphlets and manuscripts, relating to our State and National History, and now numbering over 30,000 volumes, besides

establishing relations of exchange with the principal institutions of this and foreign countries—for the encouragement of the said Society.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly.* That the Secretary of State be authorized and is directed, upon the written order of the President or Secretary of the CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY, under the legal seal thereof, to deliver to the said Society fifty copies of all and each of the public documents (bound or unbound), books, pamphlets, charts or other publications by the State, as the same shall be hereafter printed, from year to year, or from time to time, and also such numbers of copies of documents which are now or may have been printed, as may be contributed to said Society, without detriment to the public interests; *Provided*, that the documents herein granted shall be used by the said Society for the sole purpose of preservation in its library, or of exchange with other States and institutions, or with individuals for publications of importance and value to the people of this State, but in no case to be sold for money; *Provided*, that the said Society shall make affidavit, through its President or Secretary, to the Governor of the State, at or before each biennial session of the General Assembly, that a sum not less than five hundred dollars has been raised and expended in and for the business and management of said Society in and during the two years preceding; and, at the same time, submit therewith a report of the meetings and transactions of said Society for the same period for the information of the people of this State.

SEC. 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage.

*Approved, February 22, 1861.*

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED  
AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY,  
APPROVED FEBRUARY 7, 1857

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly.* That section five (5) of the act, to which this is an amendment, be so amended that said Society shall have power to increase the number of its resident members, from time to time, to any number that shall by it be deemed expedient.

SEC. 2. The said Society shall have power to borrow money and mortgage its real estate to secure the same, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, to be used in completing and paying for the buildings now in process of erection on the real estate of said Society. And the real estate and property of said Society shall be exempt from taxation.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

*Approved, January 10, 1867.*

# CONSTITUTION

Adopted, 1856

Revised, November 29, 1870

Amended, January 16, 1883

Revised, November 21, 1893

Amended, November 20, 1906

Amended, November 21, 1911

Amended, January 21, 1916

Amended, November 21, 1916

## ARTICLE I

### NAME AND OBJECTS

This Society shall be called the CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Its object shall be to institute and encourage historical inquiry, to collect and preserve the materials of history, and to spread historical information, especially concerning the Northwestern States.

## ARTICLE II

### MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. This Society shall be composed of Honorary Life, Life, Annual, Sustaining Life, Sustaining, Honorary, and Corresponding members, all of whom shall be elected by ballot of the Executive Committee, unless by unanimous consent they shall be elected by a *plurality* vote cast at a regular meeting by twelve legally qualified voters. Two adverse ballots of the Executive Committee shall reject a candidate.

SEC. 2. The dues for membership shall be as follows: For Life Membership, five hundred dollars payable in money, or by services rendered or donations made, and publicly declared by resolution of the Executive Committee to exceed that amount in value to the Society; and for Annual Membership, twenty-five dollars per annum, the dues for the first fiscal year being payable within one month after election to membership and notice of such election.

Sustaining Life members, upon the payment of one hundred dollars, shall have all the privileges of Annual members, except the right to vote or hold office, for and during their

respective lives, and the money so received shall not be expended for current expenses, but shall be invested, and only the income thereof may be expended.

Sustaining members shall have, upon the payment of ten dollars, all the privileges of Annual members for one year, except the right to vote or hold office.

Annual members, when of the age of seventy years or upwards, completing or having completed the payment of not less than ten annual dues will be excused from further payment of annual dues.

Persons who have heretofore made, or shall hereafter make, voluntary contribution of one thousand dollars or more to the Society's funds, or donations publicly declared by resolution of the Executive Committee to be of that value to the Society's collections, may be elected Honorary Life Members, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee.

The President and Secretary shall issue a Diploma, under seal of the Society, and certifying the class of membership, to each member elected, upon payment of the dues.

SEC. 3. The right to hold office and vote, and to take any part in the proceedings of the Society, shall be accorded to and may be exercised only by the members of the three classes first hereinbefore named.

SEC. 4. Before any person be elected an Annual member by the Executive Committee such person shall be proposed by two members of the Society, and the name of such proposed member and the proposers shall have been posted for at least two weeks. Sustaining members may be elected, however, at any meeting of said Committee upon application without such propriety and without being posted.

## ARTICLE III

### OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, and a Board of Trustees of twenty-four members, all of which aforementioned shall be members of the Society entitled to vote, and also a Treasurer, Secretary, and Librarian. The President and Vice-President shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. The President and Vice-Presidents shall be elected by ballot at the annual meetings for one year, and shall respectively remain in office until the election of their successors.

They shall perform such duties as are common to such officers or as may be prescribed in the By-Laws. Vacancies occurring from any cause in any of these offices may be filled by ballot at any special meeting, notice of such election being given in the notice of such meeting.

SEC. 3. The Board of Trustees shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meetings, six members of which shall, from the time of the first election hereunder, hold their office until the next annual election of officers; six of them until the second such election; six of them until the third such election; and six of them until the fourth such election. The terms for which the first members so chosen at the first election shall hold their office, shall be determined by lot immediately after such election.

SEC. 4. At each annual meeting thereafter there shall be elected by ballot six persons to fill the places vacant by the expiration of the term of those heretofore elected as members of the Board of Trustees, and of those who shall hereafter be elected such members.

On the expiration of the term of any of the members of said Board of Trustees, their successors shall be elected by ballot for the term of four years.

Vacancies in the Board of Trustees during an unexpired term, caused by death, resignation, removal from office, or inability to act, may be filled by a majority of the remaining members of said Board, until the succeeding annual election, at which time such vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as members of said Board are elected for the full term of their office.

Regular meetings of the Board of Trustees shall be held upon the first Wednesday in December, April, and October, of each year.

Special meetings may be called by the President at any time, and shall be called upon the written request of three trustees. Nine trustees shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 5. At the first regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, after the first annual election each year, the trustees shall choose by ballot from their number eight

persons, who with the President and Vice-Presidents shall constitute an Executive Committee.

SEC. 6. The Executive Committee, constituted above, shall under the general direction of the Board of Trustees alone hold, manage, administer, and control all the money, property, effects, and affairs of the Society; and said committee may appoint a Treasurer, a Librarian, a Secretary, and such assistants and employees in the service of the Society as to said committee may seem fit; and may prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of such officers, assistants, and employees, and said committee may make investments of the Society's funds, provided that no fund bequeathed to or held by the Society for a specific purpose shall be appropriated to or used for any other purpose, and provided further that said committee shall not incur any liability on the part of said Society in any one year which shall exceed its annual income; and it shall be the duty of said committee to make an annual report to the Society of all its acts and doings.

## ARTICLE IV

### MEETINGS

SECTION 1. The annual meeting for the election of officers and the transaction of other business relating to the affairs of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday of November in each year, and the fiscal year of the Society shall begin with the first day of November in each year and end with the thirty-first day of the following October.

SEC. 2. The regular meetings shall be held at such times and conducted in such manner as shall be prescribed in the By-Laws and directed by the Executive Committee, provided no such regular meeting shall occur at the same time with the annual meeting.

SEC. 3. At the annual meeting not less than twelve members having the right to vote, and at the special business meetings not less than seven such members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 4. Special meetings and special business meetings may be called by the President, or, in case of his absence, by one of the Vice-Presidents, of which due notice shall be given at least two days beforehand.

## ARTICLE V

## AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-third vote at any annual or special meeting, *provided* that a printed or written copy of the proposed alterations or amendments shall have accompanied the notice of the meeting at which they shall be acted upon; and *provided* further that not less than twelve members having the right to vote shall be present when such vote is taken.

## BY-LAWS

## DUTIES OF OFFICERS

ART. I. SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee, and call such special meetings and special business meetings as he may deem necessary, or as he may, in writing, be requested to call by five members of the Society.

SEC. 2. The Vice-Presidents in the order of their seniority, shall perform the duties of the President in the case of the absence of the President from the meetings of the Society or from Chicago.

SEC. 3. The Executive Committee may adopt such rules for their own action not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary.

## MEETINGS

ART. II. SECTION 1. The regular meetings of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday of each of the following named months, *to-wit*: January, April, and October.

SEC. 2. The annual meeting shall be held on the third Tuesday of November, the precise hour in the case of this and all other meetings of the Society being designated by the President and stated in the notice of the meeting.

SEC. 3. The Board of Trustees may adopt such rules for their own action, not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary.

The exercises of the regular and special meetings of the Society shall be under the direction of the Executive Committee, and in general conformity with the objects of the Society.

SEC. 4. The order of business at the special business meetings of the Society shall be as follows:

1. Reading the minutes of the next preceding business meeting.
2. Report of Officers.
3. Report of Committees.
4. Election of new members.
5. Deferred business.
6. New business.

SEC. 5. The order of business at the annual meeting of the Society shall be as follows:

1. Reading the minutes of the next preceding meeting.
2. Report of Officers.
3. Report of Committees and Trustees.
4. Election of new members.
5. Election of Officers.
6. Deferred business.
7. New business.

#### MEMBERSHIP

ART. III. SECTION 1. The dues of the Annual and Sustaining members of the Society shall be payable annually in advance within the month such member joined the Society.

SEC. 2. Should the dues of any member remain unpaid for the space of one month, the Executive Committee shall notify him in writing, that unless his dues are paid within one month from the date of such notice his membership shall cease, and unless such dues are paid pursuant to such notice, or such default is accounted for to the satisfaction of the Executive Committee, such person shall thereupon cease to be a member of the Society.

#### SUSPENSION AND AMENDMENTS

ART. IV. The By-Laws in whole or in part may be suspended during any special business or annual meeting, by vote of a majority of the members present at any such meeting. The By-Laws may be amended on the same conditions prescribed for amending the Constitution.

## REPORT OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 21, 1916

The sixth annual meeting of the Chicago Historical Society was held in the John C. Crerar Hall of the Society's Building at eight o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, November 21, 1916, pursuant to notice given, as provided by the Constitution.

President Barley called the meeting to order at half past eight o'clock, and Secretary Morris not being present, on motion, Dr. Schmidt was appointed Secretary of the meeting.

The following members were present: FREDERICK W. BLOCKE, FREDERICK W. BRYAN, HENRY E. BULLOCK, CLARENCE A. BURLEY, WILLIAM H. BUSH, JOHN B. FOLEY, JULIUS FRANKEL, WILLIAM A. FULLER, A. F. MADLENER, HENRY W. McGEE, JULIAN S. MASON, GEORGE MERRYWEATHER, P. F. W. PECK, PAUL C. PETERSON, CHARLES B. PIKE, FRED M. SCHMIDT, OTTO L. SCHMIDT, and JOHN G. SHORTALL.

It was moved by Mr. Peterson that the minutes of the last annual meeting as printed in the *Yearbook* be approved and their reading dispensed with. The motion was seconded and carried.

The Assistant Treasurer, Mr. P. C. Peterson, presented the Treasurer's Report. (See Report of Executive Committee and accompanying Reports.)

It was moved by Mr. Foley that the Treasurer's Report be received and ordered placed on file. The motion was seconded and carried.

Mr. William A. Fuller presented the Report of the Auditing Committee, signed by William A. Fuller, Joy Morton, and C. F. Günther. (See Report of Executive Committee and accompanying Reports.) The Report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

President Barley, Chairman of the Gilpin Fund Trustees, presented the Report of the Gilpin Fund. (See Report of Executive Committee and accompanying Reports.) On motion the Report was received and ordered placed on file.

The Report of the Executive Committee was then presented. The *Necrology* showed that the list of members

by death had been unusually large. In memory of these members the Society presents obituary sketches under the head of **MEMBERSHIP**.

The Chairman of the Membership Committee, William H. Bush, presented his Report showing that the plan of membership, adopted January 21, 1916, with its new classes of Sustaining Members was giving excellent results and would undoubtedly prove one of the most advantageous changes that the Society has instituted for many years.

The Librarian, Miss McIlvaine, presented the Librarian's Report, which was accepted and ordered placed on file, the reading of some of the interesting contents being deferred until later in the evening. (See Librarian's Report following Executive Committee Report.)

Mr. Pike moved, seconded by Mr. Bush, that the regular order of business of the Annual Meeting be suspended and the following order be adopted until the close of this meeting, so that the consideration of important amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws, due notice of which had been given, might come up for action early in the evening.

#### New Business.

#### Changes and Amendments of the Constitution and By-Laws.

#### Appointment of the Nominating Committee.

#### Election of New Members.

#### Librarian's Report.

#### Nominating Committee's Report.

#### Election of Officers.

#### Adjournment.

The motion was carried.

At the request of the President the Acting Secretary read the proposed Amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws, which had been sent to the members with the printed notice of this meeting, as follows:

#### OF THE CONSTITUTION

Amend Section 1 of Article II by striking out the words "provided, that when such amount shall occur after January 1st, the dues for the balance of said fiscal year shall be for the remaining part of the ensuing day, and payable within thirty days after such occurrence and no more."

Article III, Section 1. Change as follows:  
in 1st line "Executive Committee of eight voting members" to "a Board of Trustees of twenty members".

in 6th and 7th line "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees" so that the whole section shall read:

"**SECTION 1.** The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, and a Board of Trustees of twenty members, all of which aforesaid shall be members of the Society, and also a Treasurer, Secretary, and Librarian. The President and Vice-Presidents shall be ex-officio members of the Board of Trustees."

**ARTICLE III. SECTION 3.** Change as follows:  
in 1st line "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees";  
in 2d line "two members" to "five members";  
in 4th line "two of" to "five of";  
in 5th line "two of them" to "five of them";  
in 6th line "and two of them" to "and five of them" so that the section shall read:

"**SECTION 3.** The Board of Trustees shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meetings, five members of which shall from the time of the first election hereunder, hold their office until the next annual election of officers, two of them until the second such election, five of them until the third such election, and five of them until the fourth such election. The terms for which the first members to be chosen at the first election shall hold their office, shall be determined by lot immediately after such election."

**ARTICLE III. SECTION 4.** Change as follows:  
in 2d line "two persons" to "five persons";  
in 4th line "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees";  
in 5th line "said committee" to "said Board of Trustees";  
in 6th line "in the Executive Committee" to "in the Board of Trustees";  
in 12th line "members of said committee" to "members of said Board";  
in 15th line "members of said committee" to "members of said Board" so that the whole section shall read as follows:

"**SECTION 4.** At each annual meeting thereafter there shall be elected by ballot five persons to fill the places vacant by the expiration of the term of those heretofore elected as members of the Board of Trustees, and of those who shall hereafter be elected such members.

"On the expiration of the term of any of the members of said Board of Trustees, their successors shall be elected by ballot for the term of four years.

"A vacancy in the Board of Trustees during an unexpired term, caused by death, resignation, removal from office, or inability to act, may be filled by a majority of the remaining members of said Board, until the succeeding annual election, at which time such vacancy shall be filled, for the unexpired term in the same manner as members of said Board are elected for the full term of their office.

Add the following two paragraphs to Section 4.

"Regular meetings of the Board of Trustees shall be held upon the first Wednesday in December, April, and October, of each year.

"Special message may be voted by the Trustees at any time, and shall be called upon the written request of three trustees. Nine trustees shall constitute a quorum."

Add new section, to be known as "Section 5" of Article 10, as follows:

"SECTION 5. At the first regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, also the first annual meeting each year, the trustees shall choose by ballot from their number eight persons, who, with the President and Vice-President shall constitute an Executive Committee."

Change present numbers of "Section 5" to read "Section 6," and change the reading of the first two lines "The Executive Committee, constituted above, etc., etc., to read "The Executive Committee, constituted above, shall under the general direction of the Board of Trustees alone hold, manage, administer, and control all the money, property, effects, and affairs of the Society; and said committee may appoint a Treasurer, a Librarian, a Secretary, and such assistants and subcommittees or the officers of the Society as its total committee may over 60, and may provide the duties and the compensation of such officers, assistants, and employees; and said committee may make arrangements of the Society's funds, provided that no fund be received or held by the Society for a specific purpose shall be appropriated to or used for any other purpose, and provided further that said committee shall not incur any liability on the part of said Society in any one year which shall exceed its annual income; and it shall be the duty of said committee to make an annual report to the Society at all its meetings and change."

#### OF THE BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I. SECTION 1. Change in 1d the "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees and Executive Committee," so that this shall read as follows:

"ARTICLE I. SECTION 1. The Trustees shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee, and shall call special meetings and annual business meetings to be held there meetings, or as to may be necessary, to receive, be reported to, and to act on motions of the Society."

ARTICLE II. SECTION 1. Change by inserting before the present Section 3 the paragraph: "The Board of Trustees may adopt such rules for their own action, not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary," so that this section shall read as follows:

"SECTION 3. The Board of Trustees may adopt such rules for their own action, not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary."

"The execution of the regular and special meetings of the Society shall be under the direction of the Executive Committee, and in general conformity with the officers of the Society."

Article III. Section 1. Change or read as follows:  
Section 1. The dues of the annual and sustaining members of the Society shall be payable annually on ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> 1st day of January in the month such member joined the Society.

After the reading of the proposed changes in the Constitution and By-Laws by the Secretary, President Burley explained their significance, referring to the desirability of creating a larger working body, under the name of the Board of Trustees, so that a greater number of members could be drawn into the circle of active workers of the Society, while the Executive Committee would attend to its duties under the general direction of the Board.

It was moved by Mr. Foley that Section 2 of Article II. of the Constitution be changed by striking out the words: "provided, that when such election shall occur after January first, the dues for the balance of said fiscal year shall be for the proportionate part of the twenty-five dollars, and payable within thirty days after such election and notice."

The motion was seconded and carried.

After a discussion by Mr. Shortall and Mr. Bullock of the proposed changes in Section 1 of Article III., Mr. Blocki moved to change the proposed amendment by substituting for the words "twenty members" the words "twenty-four members."

The amendment was seconded by Mr. McGee and carried.

Mr. Blocki then moved to change Section 1 of Article III. of the Constitution as follows in 3d line: "Executive Committee of eight other members" to "a Board of Trustees of twenty-four members" — in 6th and 7th lines "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees" so that the whole section shall read:

"SECTION 1. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, and a Board of Trustees of twenty-four members, all of which aforesigned shall be members of the Society entitled to vote, and also a Treasurer, Secretary, and Librarian. The President and Vice-Presidents shall be ~~also~~ <sup>not</sup> members of the Board of Trustees."

The motion was seconded and carried.

After a discussion of the proposed change of Section 3 of Article III. it was moved to change the word "five" to "six" wherever it occurred. The motion was seconded and carried.

It was then moved by Mr. Blocki and seconded by Mr. Shortall that Section 3 of Article III. of the Constitution be changed as follows: in 1st line "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees"

in 5d line "two members" to "six members" —

in 6th line "two of" to "six of" —

in 5th line "two of them" to "six of them" —

in 6th line "and two of them" to "and six of them" so that the section shall read —

"SECTION 3. — The Board of Trustees shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meetings, six members of which shall, from the time of the first election hereunder, hold their office until the next annual election of officers, six of them until the second such election; six of them until the third such election, and six of them until the fourth such election. The terms for which the first members so chosen at the first election shall hold their office, shall be determined by lot immediately after such election."

The motion was carried.

The proposed changes in Section 4 of Article III, were taken up and it was moved to amend by changing in the second line the word "five" to "six." The motion was seconded and carried.

It was then moved to change Section 4 of Article III, in the Constitution as follows:

in 2d line "two persons" to "six persons" —

in 4th line "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees" —

in 7th line "said committee" to "said Board of Trustees" —

in 9th line "in the Executive Committee" to "in the Board of Trustees" —

in 12th line "members of said committee" to "members of said Board" —

in 15th line "members of said committee" to "members of said Board" so that the whole section shall read as follows:

"SECTION 4. — At each annual meeting thereafter there shall be elected by ballot six persons to fill the places vacant by the expiration of the term of those herebefore elected as members of the Board of Trustees, and of those who shall hereafter be elected such members.

"On the expiration of the term of any of the members of said Board of Trustees, their successors shall be elected by ballot for the term of four years.

"Vacancies in the Board of Trustees during an unexpired term, caused by death, resignation, removal from office, or inability to act, may be filled by a majority of the remaining

members of said Board, until the succeeding annual election, at which time such vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as members of said Board are elected for the full term of their office."

The motion was seconded and carried.

It was moved and seconded that the following two paragraphs be added to Section 4 of Article III.:

"Regular meetings of the Board of Trustees shall be held upon the first Wednesday in December, April, and October, of each year.

"Special meetings may be called by the President at any time, and shall be called upon the written request of three trustees. Nine trustees shall constitute a quorum."

The motion was carried.

It was moved that a new section, to be known as Section 5 be added to Article III, as follows:

"SECTION 5. At the first regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, after the first annual election each year, the trustees shall choose by ballot from their number eight persons, who with the President and Vice-Presidents, shall constitute an Executive Committee."

The motion was seconded and carried.

Mr. Blocki moved that "Section 5" of Article III, be changed to "Section 6" of Article III, and that the reading of the first two lines "The Executive Committee, constituted above, etc., etc.," be changed to read "The Executive Committee, constituted above, shall under the general direction of the Board of Trustees alone hold, etc.," so that it shall read as follows:

"SECTION 6. The Executive Committee, constituted above, shall under the general direction of the Board of Trustees alone hold, manage, administer, and control all the money, property, effects, and affairs of the Society, and said Committee may appoint a Treasurer, a Librarian, a Secretary, and such assistants and employees in the service of the Society as to said Committee may seem fit; and may prescribe the duties and fix the compensation of such officers, assistants, and employees; and said Committee may make investments of the Society's fund, provided that no fund bequeathed to or held by the Society for a specific purpose shall be appropriated to or used for any other purpose, and provided further that said Committee shall not incur any liability on the part of said Society in any one year which

shall exceed its annual income, and it shall be the duty of said Committee to make an annual report to the Society of all its acts and doings."

The motion was seconded and carried.

#### OF THE BY-LAWS

It was moved and seconded that Section 3 of Article I, of the By-Laws be changed in the 2d line from "Executive Committee" to "Board of Trustees and Executive Committee," so that this shall read as follows:

"ARTICLE I. SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee, and call such special meetings and special business meetings as he may deem necessary, or as he may, in writing, be requested to call by five members of the Society."

The motion was carried.

It was moved and seconded that Section 3 of Article II, be changed by inserting before the present Section 3 the paragraph: "The Board of Trustees may adopt such rules for their own action not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary," so that this section shall read as follows:

"SECTION 3. The Board of Trustees may adopt such rules for their own action, not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as they may find most convenient and necessary.

"The exercises of the regular and special meetings of the Society shall be under the direction of the Executive Committee, and in general conformity with the objects of the Society."

The motion was carried.

It was moved and seconded that Section 1 of Article III, be changed to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. The dues of the Annual and Sustaining members of the Society shall be payable annually in advance within the month each member joined the Society."

The motion was carried.

Mr. John L. Shortall moved that a Nominating Committee of three be appointed by the President.

The motion was seconded and carried.

President Burley appointed as members of the Nominating Committee Mr. Shorrall, Mr. Paul C. Peterson and Mr. Fred M. Schmidt.

The Secretary presented a list of names, approved by the Executive Committee, for election to membership in the Society.

Mr. Wm. H. Bush moved that the Secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the election of the following names to the membership of the Society, under the classes stated:

*Annual (Governing)*

|                            |                          |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Crowell, H. P.             | McCormick, Mrs. Cyrus H. |
| Houghtaling, Mrs. James L. | Watkins, Frederick A.    |

*Sustaining Life*

|                        |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Macgow, Henry          | Morse, Charles Hosmer |
| Morrison, Mrs. Emma H. | Seaman, George        |

*Sustaining Annual*

|                       |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Biggs, Joseph H.      | McInneaney, Thomas H.      |
| Blocki, John          | Meacham, Floyd R.          |
| Brauer, Paul          | Meyne, Gerhardt F.         |
| Cahn, Benjamin R.     | Offield, Charles K.        |
| Cervenka, John A.     | Petersen, Mrs. Edward      |
| Colvin, John J.       | Plunkett, William H.       |
| Coney, Gurden Herbert | Sargent, Frederick         |
| Cunningham, Frank S.  | Scoles, Robert L.          |
| Driver, Ervin         | Shaffer, Charles B.        |
| Field, Henry          | Shannon, Angus Roy         |
| Gano, Charles D.      | Simonds, C. C.             |
| Gardner, James P.     | Stevens, Harold L.         |
| Guersten, W.          | Straus, Leo                |
| Hibbard, Frederick C. | Watfield, Edwin A.         |
| Higgins, John F.      | Winterbotham, Joseph, Jr.  |
| Levy, Morris          | Zelotky, William           |
| Lindquist, Joseph E.  | Zimmerman, William F., Jr. |

The motion was seconded and carried.

Thereupon the Secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the election of the names proposed for membership in the Society.

While waiting for the report of the Nominating Committee, the Librarian was requested to read some extracts from the Librarian's Annual Report. Miss McIlvaine re-

enquired with short references to such interesting Society interests, as the gifts of the Charles H. Cramer collection of historic Staffordshire ware, the John F. Steward maps and archaeological specimens, and the O. L. Schmidt collection, illustrating pioneer household customs; and to the success of the Society's efforts in behalf of keeping the old names of Clark and Wells Streets. She also spoke of the increasing difficulty of handling the growing collections of the Society owing to the crowded condition of the building.

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Mr. John G. Shortall, then presented the report of that Committee as follows:

November 21, 1916.

*To the Members of the Chicago Historical Society:*

Gentlemen— The undersigned, members of the Nominating Committee, hereby recommend the following members as officers for the ensuing year:

Clarence A. Burley, President

George Merryweather, First Vice-President

Dr. Otto L. Schmidt, Second Vice-President

Miss Katherine D. Arnold

Victor Fremont Lawson

William H. Bush

Julian Starkweather Mason

William Francis Dohmen

Seymour Morris

Robert Collier Fergus

Jay Morton

William Alden Fuller

Henry J. Patten

William O. Goodman

Mrs. Brainerd Peck

Charles Frederick Gunther

Edward Larned Ryerson

Chalkley Jay Hambleton

Orson Smith

Frank Hamlin

John Alden Spear

Mrs. James L. Houghteling

Albert Arnold Sprague, 2d

George Snow Isham

Edward F. Swift

Chauncy Kop

Mrs. Anna Ogden West

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN G. SHORTALL,

PAUL C. PETERSON,

OTTO L. SCHMIDT,

*Nominating Committee.*

The Secretary stated that the resignations of all the members of the Executive Committee had been received and moved that the resignations of Messrs. Seymour Morris,

Edward F. Swift, William H. Bush, Edward L. Ryerson, William A. Fuller, Charles F. Gunther, John A. Spivak, and Joy Morton be accepted.

The motion was seconded and carried.

Mr. Bush moved that the Report of the Nominating Committee be accepted and that the persons named be elected to the positions recommended in the Report.

The motion was seconded.

As no further nominations were made, the motion was put and carried.

With the election of the officers the order of business was closed and the meeting was adjourned on motion.

Respectfully submitted,

O. L. SCHMITT  
*Acting Secretary*

## REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1916.

To the Members of the Chicago Historical Society:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Committee, in conformity with the Society's Constitution, has the honor to submit its Annual Report as follows:

### FUNDS

The Chicago Historical Society's Funds consist of the General Fund, representing the membership dues, gifts of friends and some small sums obtained by the sale of its publications, and the Special Funds, fourteen in number, of which twelve were created through bequests by generous testators who valued the future and the mission of the Society.

The General Fund is used for the maintenance of the Society's building, the care of its collections, the management of its ordinary business, lectures, exhibitions and so forth.

The Special Funds are used according to the specifications of gift, mainly for the purchase of books, bookbinding, and the printing of the Society's publications. Although the income from these various sources is managed with scrupulous economy, only the necessary business can be done at times in order that the savings of one period may allow a greater undertaking at another time.

THE HENRY D. GILPIN FUND (\$70,000.00)—*See Report of Henry D. Gilpin Trustees* is under the exclusive care and management of trustees appointed under the will of HENRY D. GILPIN. The income from this fund, as paid to the Society by said trustees, is applied entirely to the maintenance of the Gilpin Library. The present trustees are CLARENCE A. BURLEY, WALTER L. FINICK and WILLIAM G. GREEN, and the President and First Vice-President of the Society, *ex officio*. A full statement of the fund is

given in the report of these trustees, presented herewith on page 151.

The JONATHAN BURR FUND originally consisted of a legacy of \$2,000 from the late Jonathan Burr, the income to be used in payment of printing the Society's publications. It was invested in a cottage and twenty-one lots in the Town of Calumet, acquired in settlement of a note secured by trust deed on said lots. In June, 1916, these lots were sold for \$1000 and \$1000 withdrawn from the General Fund to restore the Fund. The account stands as follows:

|                                      |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Received rent on Trowbridge cottage  | 856 00  |
| Paid into General Fund on account of |         |
| taxes and printing                   | \$10 89 |
| Interest paid on notes               | 13 19   |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916        | 31 92   |
|                                      | <hr/>   |
|                                      | 856 00  |
|                                      | 856 00  |

The PHILO CARPENTER FUND consists of a legacy of \$1,000 from the late Philo Carpenter, the income to be devoted to binding books and periodicals. The account stands as follows:

|                                  |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Received interest on bond        | 850 00       |
| Balance on hand October 31, 1915 | 47 50        |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916    | <hr/> 897 50 |
|                                  | 897 50       |
|                                  | 897 50       |

The MARSHALL FIELD FUND consists of \$10,000, being the proceeds of the sale to the United States Government for the Library of Congress, of the eleven volumes of papers of President James Madison, which were purchased by Mr. Edward G. Mason in 1893 for the Society, with funds donated for that purpose by Mr. Marshall Field. By resolution of the Executive Committee it was voted that this fund should remain intact and the income therefrom be used toward defraying the expenses of editing, printing and distributing the Society's publications.

The account of this fund stands as follows:

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Available balance on hand Oct. 31, 1915 | \$103 59    |
| Received interest on bond               | 400 00      |
| To publishing Yearbook, 1915            | 8482 59     |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916           | <hr/> 21 00 |
|   | 8503 59     |
|   | 8503 59     |

THE T. MAURO GARRETT FUND consists of \$1,000 bequeathed to the Society by the late T. Mauro Garrett. The account stands as follows:

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Received interest on bond | \$30.00 |
| Paid into General Fund    | \$30.00 |
| <hr/>                     |         |

THE HUNTINGTON WILCOX JACKSON FUND is a bequest of \$1,000 from the late Huntington W. Jackson, the income to be used in the purchase of books. The following statement shows the condition of the fund:

|                               |                         |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Cash on hand October 31, 1915 | \$57.60                 |
| Certificate of deposit        | 131.50                  |
| Received interest on bond     | 50.00                   |
| Paid for books                | \$ 2.00                 |
| Certificate of deposit        | (31.50)                 |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916 | 105.60                  |
|                               | <hr/> \$239.10 \$159.10 |

#### THE LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND

|                        |                             |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Received in Membership | \$6,100.00                  |
| Interest on bonds      | 70.00                       |
| Bonds bought           | \$3,840.00                  |
| Interest paid          | 34.30                       |
| Notes paid             | 2,000.00                    |
| Interest paid          | 26.39                       |
| Cash on hand           | 269.31                      |
|                        | <hr/> \$6,170.00 \$6,170.00 |

THE POLK DIARY FUND of \$3,500 was created out of the proceeds of the sale to the United States Government for the Library of Congress, of the twenty-four volumes of the diary and the letters and papers of President James K. Polk purchased by the Society in 1901 with funds collected for that purpose. By order of the Executive Committee it has been set aside, the income to be used for defraying the expenses of editing, publishing and distributing the Society's publications, *provided* that such money as shall be necessary may be advanced towards the expenses of the publication of the *Polk Diary*, such advances to be repaid

into the fund as promptly as possible out of the proceeds and profits of sales of said Diary. This fund will increase in proportion to the sale of the James K. Polk Diary, published by the Society. A standard publication of this character is assured of a constant although slow demand and will in the course of a few years replenish the fund. It is a matter of satisfaction that the fund enabled the Society to give to the public this remarkable Diary in printed form, the four volumes of which were sent to every regular member of the Society in 1910. The sum now realized on the fund is \$1,774.00.

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Balance on hand October 31, 1915  | \$89 17  |
| Income from bonds                 | 75 00    |
| Income from sales                 | 40 00    |
| To printing two thousand booklets | \$100 37 |
| Cash on hand                      | 103 80   |
|                                   |          |
|                                   | \$204 17 |
|                                   | \$204 17 |

THE LUCRETIA POND FUND, being the proceeds of a bequest of real estate to the Society by Lucretia Pond, consists of a principal of \$13,500, the income to be used in the purchase of books, pamphlets and documents or pictures and paintings of historical interest. The account of this fund stands as follows:

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Cash on hand October 31, 1915               | \$ 313 11  |
| One five per cent bond                      | 1,000 00   |
| Received interest on bonds                  | 690 00     |
| Paid for books, manuscripts and periodicals | \$ 503 27  |
| Bond on hand October 31, 1916               | 1,000 00   |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916               | 199 84     |
|   |            |
|   | \$2,003 11 |
|   | \$2,003 11 |

THE WILLIAM C. SEIPP FUND consists of a legacy of \$5,000.00 bequeathed to the Society by the late William C. Seipp. As no special disposition for this bequest had been made by the donor, the Executive Committee according to its established rule created a permanent fund to be known as The William C. Seipp Fund, proceeds of which are to be applied to the general expenses of the Society. Unsigned bequests are much appreciated, for the general operative

expenses, including those of the care and the improvement of the building, as well as frequent special undertakings of the Society, not provided for in the endowment funds for books, printing, etc., are paid from the General Expense Fund. The account of this fund stands as follows:

|                            |                      |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Received interest on bonds | \$250.00             |
| Paid into General Fund     | 8.98-31              |
| Cash on hand               | 151.69               |
|                            | <br>\$250.00-3250.00 |

The ELIZABETH HAMMOND STICKNEY FUND consists of \$6,650.00. Of this sum five thousand dollars was bequeathed to the Society by the late Mrs. Elizabeth Hammond Stickney, as a memorial to her husband, Mr. Edward Swan Stickney, the income to be used in maintaining the Stickney Library and making additions thereto. The nucleus of this library was the private library of Mr. Stickney, also bequeathed to the Society by Mrs. Stickney. On account of the larger number of these books being on art, travel, philosophy and other subjects not allied to the work of the Society, Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick generously arranged, with all legal formality, a purchase of these books, with the express purpose of thereby increasing the principal of the fund and thus adding to its usefulness to the Society. The account of this fund stands as follows:

|                               |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash on hand October 31, 1915 | \$197.91              |
| Received interest on bonds    | 410.00                |
| Paid for books                | \$502.60              |
| Cash on hand October 31, 1916 | 100.31                |
|                               | <br>\$602.91-\$602.91 |

The LORETIA J. TILTON FUND consists of \$3,000 bequeathed to the Society by the late Loretia Jane Tilton, as a memorial to her husband, Lucian J. Tilton. The account stands as follows:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Received interest on bonds | \$150.00 |
| Paid into General Fund     | \$150.00 |

The ELIAS MARVIN WATKINS FUND consists of \$1,000 bequeathed to the Society by the late Elias Marvin Watkins. The account stands as follows:

|                            |                 |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Received interest on bonds | \$25.00         |
| Paid on accrued interest   | \$ 5.56         |
| Balance on hand            | 19.44           |
|                            | <hr/>           |
|                            | \$25.00 \$25.00 |

THE ELIAS T. WATKINS FUND consists of \$5,000 bequeathed to the Society by the late Elias T. Watkins. The account stands as follows:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Received interest on bonds | \$250.00 |
| Paid into General Fund     | <hr/>    |
|                            | \$250.00 |

THE HENRY J. WILLING FUND consists of \$2,500 bequeathed to the Society by the late Henry Jenkens Willing. The following account shows the condition of this fund:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Received interest on bonds | \$110.00 |
| Paid into General Fund     | <hr/>    |
|                            | \$110.00 |

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1916

| RECEIPTS                         |             |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance on hand November 1, 1915 |             | \$2,456.62  |
| Dues from annual memberships     | \$11,335.00 |             |
| Bequests and donations           | 139.00      |             |
| Interest and other income        | 155.85      |             |
| Jonathan Burr Fund               | 45.11       |             |
| Philo Carpenter Fund             | 50.00       |             |
| Marshall Field Fund              | 400.00      |             |
| T. Mason Garrett Fund            | 50.00       |             |
| H. D. Gilpin Fund                | 2,100.00    |             |
| H. W. Jackson Fund               | 50.00       |             |
| Loe Membership Fund              | 70.00       |             |
| Park Diary Fund                  | 75.00       |             |
| Lucetta Pond Fund                | 680.00      |             |
| William C. Sepp Fund             | 250.00      |             |
| Elizabeth H. Stetson Fund        | 310.00      |             |
| Lucetta J. Edmon Fund            | 180.00      |             |
| Elias M. Watkins Fund            | 25.00       |             |
| Elias T. Watkins Fund            | 250.00      |             |
| Henry J. Willing Fund            | 110.00      | 16,294.99   |
|                                  |             | <hr/>       |
|                                  |             | \$16,711.61 |

| GENERAL EXPENSES                          |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| To John Read Estate Account               | \$1,000.00         |
| Books, newspapers and periodicals         | 140.72             |
| Interest advanced and Prepaid post        | 140.98             |
| Postage                                   | 279.00             |
| Publishing                                | 562.98             |
| 1915 Standard                             | 616.36             |
| 1915 pamphlet                             | 179.37             |
| Stationery and Stationery                 | 637.29             |
| Stationery                                | 5,168.23           |
| Housing and lighting                      | 17.84              |
| Postage                                   | 642.56             |
| Printing                                  | 1,609.47           |
| Secretary's Petty Cash expense            | 261.33             |
| Traveling expense                         | 1,835.71           |
| Letters                                   | 5.10               |
| Commission paid on memberships            | 1,773.90           |
|   | <u>\$11,114.97</u> |
|   | <u>\$1,356.64</u>  |
| Remaining in funds                        | 282.90             |
| E. M. Workman                             | \$ 1.00            |
| Life membership                           | 280.90             |
| Balance on hand as per Treasurer's Report | <u>\$4,819.14</u>  |

BALANCE SHEET  
As of October 31, 1918

| ASSETS                             |                     |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Cash                               | \$ 8,319.14         |
| Certificates of deposit            | 279.02              |
| Books                              | 57.87.50            |
| Non-removable                      | 3,440.00            |
| Inventory of Pilk Dairy            | 2,109.28            |
| Inventory of Henry D. Collier Fund | 70,000.00           |
|                                    | <u>\$100,002.42</u> |

| LIABILITIES                |                     |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital and Surplus        |                     |
| General Fund               | \$ 2,386.23         |
| Josephine Burt Fund        | 2,000.00            |
| John Carpenter Fund        | 1,097.46            |
| Marshall Fund Fund         | 10,024.49           |
| J. Mason Collier Fund      | 1,400.00            |
| Henry D. Collier Fund      | 10,000.00           |
| Hannington W. Jackson Fund | 1,237.16            |
| Life Membership Fund       | 5,000.00            |
| Pilk Dairy Fund            | 2,877.61            |
| Lucerne Fund Fund          | 14,986.54           |
| William C. Snapp Fund      | 5,334.60            |
| Joseph H. Tracy Fund       | 1,640.31            |
| Lydia J. Tilton Fund       | 5,150.00            |
| Ella M. Workman Fund       | 1,409.44            |
| Eugene T. Workman Fund     | 1,380.00            |
| Henry J. Willing Fund      | 1,610.00            |
|                            | <u>\$100,002.42</u> |

## STATEMENT OF BALANCE SHEET

| Funds                 | Fund | Current<br>Value of<br>Funds | Books       | Non-<br>current<br>Value | Market<br>Value | Total       |              |
|-----------------------|------|------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
| General Fund          |      | \$1,858.29                   |             |                          |                 | \$1,858.29  |              |
| Endowment Fund        |      | 21.92                        | \$ 1,000.00 |                          | 7,607.02        | 7,630.92    |              |
| Life Fund             |      | 22.00                        | \$ 1,000.00 |                          | 7,607.00        | 7,630.00    |              |
| Memorial Fund         |      | 21.00                        | \$ 1,000.00 | 20,000.00                | 10,000.00       | 10,000.00   |              |
| Memorial Fund         |      | 30.00                        | \$ 1,000.00 | 1,000.00                 | 1,000.00        | 1,000.00    |              |
| Henry D. Morgan       |      |                              |             |                          | 120,000.00      | 120,000.00  |              |
| Washington Fund       |      | 100.00                       | \$100.00    |                          |                 | 100.00      |              |
| Life Fund             |      | 200.00                       | 4,845.00    | 2,000                    |                 | 6,000.00    |              |
| Frank D. Tracy        |      | 100.00                       | 144.00      |                          | 2,194.10*       | 2,337.10    |              |
| Frank D. Tracy        |      | 400.00                       | 144.00      |                          |                 | 14,000.00   |              |
| William L. Wilson     |      | 100.00                       |             |                          |                 | 1,500.00    |              |
| Franklin D. Roosevelt |      | 100.00                       |             |                          |                 | 7,000.00    |              |
| Lincoln Fund          |      | 300.00                       |             |                          |                 | 150.00      |              |
| John M. Wadsworth     |      | 21.00                        |             |                          |                 | 1,000.00    |              |
| John T. Walker        |      | 200.00                       |             |                          |                 | 2,000.00    |              |
| Henry J. Wadsworth    |      | 100.00                       |             |                          |                 | 2,000.00    |              |
| Total                 |      | \$1,915.14                   | \$279.30    | \$17,897.80              | \$1,000         | \$12,196.18 | \$108,942.12 |

\* Inventory of "Pork Diary."

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE GILPIN  
FUND OF THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL  
SOCIETY

1915 NOVEMBER 1, 1915 TO OCTOBER 31, 1916

Nov. 1. Certificates of Deposit on hand  
 No. 15096 \$710.67  
 No. 15098 38.83 \$ 749.50

1916 RECEIPTS  
 Oct. 2. 6 months' interest due Jan. 1, 1916, on \$17,000,  
 3½% bonds 297.50  
 6 months' interest due Jan. 1, 1916, on \$53,000, 4½%  
 bonds 1,000.00  
 July 14. 6 months' interest due July 1, 1916, on \$17,000,  
 3½% bonds 297.50  
 6 months' interest due July 1, 1916, on \$53,000,  
 4½% bonds 1,000.00  
 Oct. 12. Interest on Certificates of Deposit 34.47  
 \$3,118.97

1916 DISBURSEMENTS  
 Oct. 2. \$1,000. City of Chicago 4% bonds, due Jan. 1, 1923,  
 at 100% 5.44  
 Annual interest on above 5.44  
 Oct. 25. Paid Chicago Historical Society, annual appropriate  
 fund 2,400.00  
 \$3,105.44  
 Oct. 31. Withdrawals of Deposits in Safety Vault Box  
 No. 16440 \$349.00  
 No. 17543 61.47 410.53  
 \$3,118.97

## STATEMENT OF GILPIN FUND, NOVEMBER 1, 1916

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Chicago City 2½% bonds, par value                        | \$ 11,000.00    |
| Chicago City 4½% bonds, par value                        | 14,000.00       |
| Carrollton of Georgia                                    | 410.53          |
| <br>Total  | <br>\$74,410.53 |
| Amount received from Estate of Henry D. Gilpin, deceased | \$6,514.31      |
| <br>Balance  | <br>\$57,896.19 |

CLARENCE A. BROWN

WALTER L. FISHER

WILCOX O. GREEN

PAUL C. PETERSON

Treasurer

## TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1916

## RECEIPTS

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Balance on hand November 1, 1915              | \$2,456.62  |
| Deposits by Secretary                         |             |
| Deposited by Trustee Gilpin Fund              | 2,100.00    |
| Interest, Chicago Telephone Co. bonds         | 20.00       |
| Interest, South Side Elevated Ry. Co. bonds   | 180.00      |
| Interest, City of Chicago bonds               | 60.00       |
| Interest, Metropolitan Elevated Ry. Co. bonds | 40.00       |
| Interest, C. & Q. Ry. Co. bonds               | 300.00      |
| Interest, Commonwealth Electric Co. bonds     | 400.00      |
| Interest, Commonwealth Edison Co. bonds       | 150.00      |
| Interest, Chicago City Railway Co. bonds      | 170.00      |
| Interest, Peoples Gas Light & Coke Co. bonds  | 400.00      |
| Interest, City of Mobile, Alabama, bonds      | 90.00       |
| Interest, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe bonds   | 140.00      |
| Interest, Cudahy Packing Co. bonds            | 25.00       |
| Interest, Window Gas Co. bonds                | 25.00       |
| Interest, Socon & Company bonds               | 25.00       |
| Interest, Kansas City Terminal bonds          | 20.00       |
| Interest, North Shore Electric Co. bonds      | 25.00       |
| Interest on Bank Account                      | 91.06       |
|   | \$33,386.36 |
|   | \$23,842.98 |

## DISBURSEMENTS

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Vouchers paid by the Secretary, countersigned<br>by the President | \$21,023.84 |
| Balance on hand October 31, 1916                                  | 4,819.14    |

The above balance is made up as follows:

|                 | Funds      |
|-----------------|------------|
| General         | \$3,567.94 |
| Postage         | 101.30     |
| Field           | 21.00      |
| Post            | 109.82     |
| E. M. Watkins   | 21.94      |
| Jackson         | 105.60     |
| Campuses        | 97.50      |
| Books           | 31.92      |
| Stocks          | 100.31     |
| Life Membership | 200.51     |
|                 | <hr/>      |
|                 | \$1,819.14 |

Respectfully submitted,

Orion Smith, Treasurer

November 21, 1916

*To the Members of the Chicago Historical Society:*

Gentlemen.—We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Chicago Historical Society and of Orion Smith, its Treasurer, for the year ending November 21, 1916, the vouchers for every disbursement, and the securities in the custody of the Treasurer, and that we find the same correct and as reported.

WILLIAM A. FULLER,

JOY MORTON,

C. F. GUNTHER,

*Auditing Committee.*

#### DONATIONS

The constant additions to the Society's collections indicate that the work the Society is doing is being increasingly appreciated by its members and by friends both in and outside of Chicago. In the Librarian's Report will be found a classified list of gifts to the Society's Library and Museum, and a tabulated list of Donors appears at the end of this volume. The following have made donations of money:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| F. W. Bayley                           | \$ 5.00    |
| Clarence A. Burley                     | 1,000.00   |
| M. H. MacLean                          | 10.00      |
| J. Mentzer                             | 10.00      |
| Anna W. Phelps                         | 10.00      |
| Ott. L. Schmidt for Children's Lecture | 664.00     |
| Elizabeth Skinner                      | 25.00      |
| Fredericka Skinner                     | 25.00      |
| E. M. Watkins                          | 1,000.00   |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$2,749.00 |

## MEMBERSHIP

During the fiscal year there were added to the Society's roll the following new members.

|                    |         |
|--------------------|---------|
| Honorary Life      | 1       |
| Annual (Governing) | 51      |
| Sustaining Life    | 56      |
| Sustaining Annual  | 588     |
| <br>Total          | <br>696 |

The names of the new members are not listed here as they are indicated in the MEMBERSHIP ROLL by the date 1916.

The Executive Committee feels gratified that the membership has grown thus rapidly, as this growth may be considered an indication of increased appreciation of the worth of the Society's mission in this community.

Resignations of 11 Annual Members have been accepted and 14 Annual, 1 Honorary, 1 Life, and 6 Corresponding Members have died, leaving the summary of the present membership as follows.

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Honorary Life Members     | 12      |
| Life Members              | 12      |
| Annual Members            | 256     |
| Honorary Member           | 5       |
| Sustaining Life Members   | 51      |
| Sustaining Annual Members | 482     |
| Corresponding Members     | 101     |
| <br>Total                 | <br>919 |

## OBITUARY

The ever lengthening roll of those who have passed from us has been increased during the year by the twenty-two names following:

ENOE MELANCTHON BARTON  
 JOHN H. BEEBE  
 BENJAMIN LANGFORD TODD BOURLAND  
 WILLIAM JAMES CALHOUN  
 LUCILLE GEORGE FISHER  
 WILLIAM ALEXANDER GARDNER



WILLIAM J. CATTIN  
(Walsinger)



LUCIUS G. FAIRBANKS  
(Mattice)



LEON M. BARNES  
(Browne)



SAMUEL S. COLLIER



SAMUEL SEWELL GREENE  
NORMAN WAITE HARRIS  
CHARLES MORGAN HEWITT  
HENRY H. HONOR  
CHARLES A. KINBARK  
BRYAN LATHROP  
CHARLES HENRY McCONNELL  
JOSEPH STANLEY MARTIN  
CLARENCE S. PAYNE, Lincoln, Nebraska  
CLARENCE IVES PECK  
EUGENE S. PIKE  
HORATIO LOOMIS WAIT  
ELIA MARSH WALKER (Mrs. JAMES M.)  
ELIAS MARVIN WATKINS  
EMORY ALBERT WELLS, Grand Rapids, Michigan  
HORACE WHITE, New York

ENOS MELANCTHION BARTON, one of the founders of the Western Electric Company and for twenty years its president, died at his southern home, Biloxi, Mississippi, May 3, 1916, at the age of seventy-three years.

Mr. Barton was born in Lorraine, Jefferson County, New York, December 2, 1842, whether the grandparents on both sides of the family had moved from New England early in the last century. His father and mother, Sidney W. and Fanny Bliss Barton, were born in 1811, within a mile of each other, attended the same school, and until their marriage taught district schools in the neighborhood.

At sixteen Enos taught for one winter a district school at Sackett's Harbor, New York. Then he went to Syracuse for the second time, and later to Rochester, working as a telegraph operator on the New York Central Railroad, at the same time continuing his studies for two years. While in Rochester Mr. Barton entered the University of Rochester as a freshman in the class of 1864, and became a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity. After a year in Rochester he went to New York and entered the University of the City of New York, where he finished his sophomore year. His inability to stand the double physical and mental strain alone prevented his finishing his college course, for all this time he had been helping his mother and those who were yet too young to leave home. He was a character in which duty always came first.

Mr. Barton worked as a telegraph operator in New York during the Civil War, sending night press reports, and later became chief operator of the Western Union office, Rochester.

From there he went to Cleveland, Ohio, where in 1869 the Western Union shop was to be abandoned. George W. Shawk, who had been a foreman, bought part of the equipment and took Mr. Barton into partnership. It was told by Mr. Barton that the larger part of the money he put into it was given him by his mother who placed a mortgage on their old farm in Jefferson county, which they still owned. When after a few months Mr. Shawk sold his interest to Elisha Gray, who had been one of the shop's best customers, the firm name was changed to Gray & Barton. This partnership eventually developed into the Western Electric Company. A little later, General Amos Steger, general superintendent and afterward vice-president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, became an equal partner in the firm, on the condition that the business be removed to Chicago. So it was that in 1869 a shop was opened on Kinzie Street.

The little shop gradually engaged in the manufacture of American District Signal boxes and registers, fire alarm apparatus, annunciators, and Morse instruments. In 1887 the Western Electric Company was organized to absorb the Western Electric Manufacturing Company and certain manufacturing licenses of the American Bell Telephone Company, and Mr. Barton was made vice-president, and later president. At the time of his resignation, 1905, he was elected chairman of the Board of Directors, which office he continued to hold until the time of his death.

In his recreations, his scholarly tastes were a large factor mainly determining his life interests and attainments. He read Latin, French and Greek, the former affording him special pleasure.

Mr. Barton had been an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society, being elected April 21, 1903. He was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church, serving in its councils and aiding generously toward its financial support. He was a member of the Board of the University of Chicago, a director of the Merchants Loan and Trust Bank, and a governing member of the Art Institute.

Mr. Barton married at Rochester, New York, October 26, 1869, Katherine S. Richardson, who died 1898. Their

children were: Alvin L., Clara M., and Katharine, wife of Robert W. Childs. He was married the second time to Miss Mary C. Rust, of Chicago, October 6, 1899. The children surviving are: Malcolm S., Evan M., Gilbert R., and Wilfred C. Barton, all of Hinsdale.

JOHN HOBART BEERS, publisher, died at his late residence, 912 Montrose Boulevard, December 15, 1915, aged ~~seventy-five years~~. He was born July 13, 1840, in Fairfield County, Connecticut, son of Hermon and Phebe (Sherman) Beers, and grew up at Newtown, Connecticut. His education was acquired in the schools there, and his first business experience was gained in a Newtown store. Later he was employed in a bank in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and at iron works in Camden, New Jersey, for two or three years in Baltimore, in the dry goods business, and in the wholesale wool business at Philadelphia. He came to Chicago prior to 1870, and for a number of years was engaged in map publishing, beginning that business in partnership with Augustus Warner, as a member of the well-known firm of Warner & Beers. The Warner & Beers county atlases of the 60's and 70's have never been superseded for historical purposes by later publication. Afterwards, until his death, he published county histories and biographical and genealogical works under the firm name of J. H. Beers & Co. Mr. Beers was a member of the Alliance Club for many years, until it disbanded, and was a Corresponding Member of the Chicago Historical Society from 1884 until his death. He attended Central Church under Professor Swing, Dr. Hillis, and Rev. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, the present pastor. From its inception Mr. and Mrs. Beers were interested in the work of the Home for Destitute Crippled Children, which made special appeal to the family. Mr. Beers married Miss Keturah Gooden Sharp, of Camden, New Jersey, who survives him with their daughter, Mr. Woodward Holmes. The elder daughter, Anna, died in 1891.

BENJAMIN LANGFORD TODD BOURLAND died at the age of ~~ninety years~~ at his home, Knoxville Avenue, Peoria, Illinois, September 26, 1915.

His knowledge of books, men, and history both national and local was a never ending supply to be relied upon.

While in Chicago he was elected a Corresponding Member of the Historical Society, in 1899, and was a member at time of death.

The subject of this sketch was born in Digg County, Kentucky, October 10, 1825, the sixth son of Andrew and Damaria (Reese) Bourland, who were natives of South Carolina. Mr. Bourland's great-grandfather, John Bourland, was born in the north of Ireland, but early in life came to South Carolina, where his son Rev. John Bourland (the grandfather of B. L. T. Bourland) was born, and married Mary Loving of the same state. Mr. Bourland's father came with his family to Illinois, 1834, settling in Perry County, where they remained until 1836, when they removed to Vandalia, then the State capital. In 1840 the capital having been removed to Springfield, the Bourland family became residents of that city, the elder Bourland at that time occupying a clerical position under the State government. May, 1844, another removal took them to Chicago, and in 1847 to Peoria. In the meantime Mr. Bourland had been attending public school, had spent some time in an academy at Springfield, and been employed for a time in the office of Secretary of State, Alexander P. Field. After going to Chicago he had his first experience in the real estate business with Ogden, Jones & Company, which he remained in coming to Peoria, in company with William R. Phelps, adding thereto a banking and loan business. Mr. Bourland was twice married: first, November 20, 1849, to Julia M. Preston of St. Louis, and a second time, January 17, 1869, to Clara Parsons of Chicago, who survives. Two sons, Ogden Phelps and Randolph Reese, were the result of the first union, and four sons and two daughters of the second, Benjamin Parsons, Caroline Brown, Elsie Parsons, Norman T., who lives in Evanston, Illinois, and has offices in Chicago, Philip D., and Robert C. Bourland.

WILLIAM JAMES CALHOUN, soldier, lawyer, diplomat, United States Minister to China from 1910 to 1913, died at his home, 1310 Astor Street, on September 19, 1916, after an illness of ten weeks. In his death Chicago has lost one of those rare, commanding personalities of whom it may truthfully be said: "He was a citizen not of a city nor a state but of the world. Never courting public office, shrinking from political service, and accepting only when a high sense of

duty prompted, his life, nevertheless, touched the destinies of more nations than his own."

Mr. Calhoun was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 5, 1848. He was the son of Robert and Sarah Knox Calhoun. He went through the public schools and received his academic education at the Union Seminary, Poland, Ohio. It was here that he and William McKinley, the future President of the United States, met and developed an intimate friendship, destined to play an important part in the lives of both.

When sixteen years of age young Calhoun went to work on an Ohio farm, but his youthful mind already was set toward the law, and he began to shape his course toward that profession. Fired by tales of war brought back from the front, he ran away from the farm and presented himself at a recruiting office. McKinley was there and accepted. Calhoun was too young. However, not daunted, he again presented himself. By skillfully evading questions as to his age he managed to be sworn in as a private in the Nineteenth Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He was less than eighteen when mustered out at the close of the war.

A short time after the end of the war Mr. Calhoun went to Danville, Illinois, and obtained a position as school teacher. He was not satisfied with his education, and between classes and at night he studied law and was admitted to the bar, 1875.

Although he had served a term in the Illinois legislature it was not until the campaign of 1896 that he became known as a public man. That year the Republican state convention met to endorse a candidate for the presidency. Senator Shelby M. Cullum was the favorite. Opposed to him was William McKinley of Ohio. It became apparent to the friends of Major McKinley that some candidates would have to be dealt with. Calhoun was the logical man. He went to the convention as a delegate and worked for the friend of his boyhood, and Illinois delegates were instructed to vote for McKinley. The fight that followed was one of the most notable in political history. The young lawyer from Danville by his strong personality dominated the convention and McKinley was nominated. Later McKinley was elected.

Upon President McKinley's inauguration it was conceded that Mr. Calhoun would have his choice of the cabinet

position. To the surprise of politicians, he continued in his practice of the law.

March 5, 1898, he was appointed a member of the interstate commerce commission and accepted. He served in this capacity until October 1, 1899, when he resigned and came to Chicago, becoming a member of the law firm of Pam, Calhoun & Glennon, which later became Calhoun, Lynde & Sheran.

Three times and under three Presidents Mr. Calhoun executed commissions which shaped the policy of the United States during some of the most critical periods of her recent history. In the troubled months that preceded the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, when the United States was hesitating on the threshold of a policy of expansion, which far-sighted statesmen knew must be the outcome of a declaration of war, and when President McKinley was burdened with the momentous responsibilities of impending intervention, he turned for counsel and advice to his boyhood chum. The President needed impartial information on the whole Cuban affair. He requested Calhoun to go there as his representative. He remained a month, performed his mission and returned. The report was most valuable to the administration, and the President's confidence in his report was indicated by the fact that after Mr. Calhoun's return from Havana he was kept by his side in Washington until the final step had been taken.

The second time in 1905, when Castro was giving trouble to more than one of the great powers, and when affairs between the South American republic and this country rapidly were approaching a crisis, President Roosevelt sent Mr. Calhoun to Venezuela. Following his arrival came a straightening out of tangled international affairs, and the Venezuela crisis disappeared, and there was maintenance of peace on the Caribbean Sea.

A third President, Taft, appointed him minister to China, 1909, a post which he accepted with reluctance, taking the office January 1, 1910. Mr. Calhoun represented this country during one of the most trying periods in the Orient's history. He served during the trying transitory period between the end of the rule of the old dynasty in China and the establishment of the new republic. In 1913, after the inauguration of President Wilson, he resigned and returned to Chicago.

His career as a lawyer was marked by conspicuously unremitting success. He assisted in the formation of many of the largest business enterprises in the country and was regarded as one of the nation's ablest corporation lawyers.

At the time of his death Mr. Calhoun was director and general counsel for the Corn Products Company and the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company, western counsel for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and a director of the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa Railroad.

The Fiftieth Anniversary of the close of the Civil War and the anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln was marked by a special meeting at the Chicago Historical Society April 15, 1915. Hon. William James Calhoun was the orator of the occasion and charmed an audience that overflowed the building by a résumé of the Civil War that could hardly be surpassed for depth of insight and excellence of presentation. Mr. Calhoun had been an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society for a number of years and was interested in many civic organizations of local and national importance.

"In one of his last talks before the fatal illness," writes a close friend of his, "he was led to review — half seriously, half whimsically — the whole course of his life, and the great era of swift and amazing changes, international cataclysms, through which he had passed. He contrasted the narrow partisanship of his youth with the larger doubts and amenities of his recent political thought; and his early provincialism with his present recognition of worldwide forces. And then he passed on to inquiries into the counterplay of nations in this crisis of war, and into our own rôle in the new and larger era that must inevitably come. Love of life and acceptance of change — the warm enthusiasm of his eloquence expressed both. It was almost as if he had felt what was impending."

Mr. Calhoun was twice married. In 1875 he married Miss Alice D. Harmon of Danville, Illinois, who died August 17, 1898. In 1904 he married Miss Lucy Monroe of Chicago. He is survived by his widow and two married daughters: Mrs. Philip C. Stanwood (Marion Calhoun) of Boston, and Mrs. W. H. Gray (Corinne Calhoun), of Dedham, Mass.

F. W. J. Ayres

*Harriet Monroe, in Remembrance Poetry:*

Why is it, when they separate about your house,  
Cuckolds of persons — or soldier, diplomat,  
Lover of parties, of institution, and country?  
The pallor of their faces with honest intent  
For your great beauty does not make no grace —  
Why do I see only that pale of the fly  
And gloom of the eyes, the sudden abashed smile  
They used to break the good looks of your face? —  
And face only some little tender word,  
Some here-poke trapping up our future smile  
With flurries of human grammar?

Since — the fire  
On, leave and pass through the woods, another year  
You passed unnoticed — holding out your hands  
To give and take, framing your eager head  
In square bold woods, opening wide your eyes  
To set the lighter, follow the glowing path  
Out to great scenes.

Go — go forth! This way you  
Leave you there against the sunset glow  
Waving your hand, smiling your quizzed smile  
"What now?" I hear you say — Then the sun bows  
Its crimson to the west, and goes down  
In never another day. And you are gone.

**Lucius George Fisher**, retired paper manufacturer and widely known proprietor of various corporations, died March 20, 1916, at his residence, 40 East Erie Street, originally the home of S. M. Nickerson. He was born in Beloit, Wisconsin, November 27, 1843, son of Lucius George and Caroline S. (Field) Fisher.

His education was received through the medium of private schools and high school, although he later passed examinations for entrance to Beloit college. He freighted with an ox-team across the country in 1860, and reached New York in 1861 where he entered the employ of Blodgett, Brown & Co., wholesale hardware merchants.

Enlisting in the eighty-fourth New York State National Guard in the spring of 1863, he was in the campaign of the Shenandoah Valley, and for services was made color sergeant. After his time of enlistment expired, he at once enlisted in the navy, being assigned to the paymaster's department, United States steamer "Wyandack," where he served until the close of the war.

He settled in Chicago in 1865, beginning work as porter with the Rock River Paper Company. He was promoted,

until in 1870 he was given entire management. Resigning from this firm he bought an interest with Wheeler & Hinman, manufacturers of paper bags. The firm name was afterward changed to Wheeler, Fisher & Co., of which he became manager. In 1875 the firm name was incorporated as the Union Bag & Paper Co., of which he became president, 1891. A New Jersey company of the same name was organized by him, March, 1899, and he was president of this until 1909 when he resigned and was made chairman of the board. This company purchased patents, business, and good will of the leading bag manufacturers of the country, including eighteen paper mills, wood pulp mills, and wood lands.

He then turned his attention to mining, and as a mining promoter he became equally well known.

Mr. Fisher being engrossed in the growth of Chicago was concerned in all that would promote the city as a business and social center. He was elected Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society January 29, 1901, and was a member at the time of his death.

He was married in Chicago, April 20, 1870, to Katharine Louise, daughter of Rev. Alfred Eddy, pastor of the Ninth Presbyterian Church.

Those surviving him are, one son, Lucius G., Jr., and three daughters, Mrs. Homer L. Dixon, Mrs. William W. Dixon, and Mrs. Alexis G. Foster. There are two sisters, Mrs. William A. Bond and Mrs. Anna F. Ward.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER GARDNER, president of the Chicago & North Western and the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railways died at his summer home, Osterville, Massachusetts, on Cape Cod, May 11, 1916. His Chicago home was on Sheridan Road, in Evanston.

"No greater wave of sorrow ever swept over the hearts of the railway men of the United States than the news of the death of William A. Gardner," said the *Railway Age*.

Mr. Gardner, who was 57 years of age, was born in Gardner, Grundy County, Illinois, March 8, 1859, the son of Charles Edward and Aneinette Darleska (West) Gardner.

Like other leading men Mr. Gardner entered the service when quite young, his father having died when he was a lad of eight. His father's people had lived for many generations in Stephentown, Rensselaer County, New York, recently changed to Garfield. His mother's people were of Dutch

descent, and came from Mount Ararat, Pennsylvania. From the time of his father's death he began to keep himself, and was in every sense a self-made man, his people all passing away while he was quite young. He had, practically, no boyhood play years. He was a telegraph operator in Lemont, Cook County, Illinois, at the age of thirteen.

Mr. Gardner entered the service of the Chicago & North Western in 1878 and until 1885 he was clerk and operator in the office of the superintendent of the Wisconsin division. From 1885 to 1890 he was trainmaster and assistant superintendent of the same division and from 1890 to October 1, 1896, superintendent of the Wisconsin division. He was appointed assistant general superintendent, which position he held until November 30, 1899. He was then general manager until January 23, 1906, when he was elected vice-president in charge of operation and maintenance. October 18, 1907, he was also elected president of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, and October 20, 1910, he was elected president of the Chicago & North Western, succeeding Marvin Hughtt, which position he held until the close of life's labors.

Mr. Gardner was an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society. He was very fond of books and an accumulative reader along all lines. In music, opera and fine pictures he was greatly interested as well as in outdoor sports, and particularly in the birds, whose habits, haunts and calls he used to study.

Mr. Gardner is survived by a widow and four daughters: Mrs. James Lawrence Onderdonk, Mrs. Sumner McCall, of Evanston, and the Misses Willamina and Ancinette Gardner.

**SAMUEL SEWELL GREELEY**, the oldest civil engineer of Chicago, senior member of Greeley-Howard-North & Co., died March 8, 1916, and in his death there passed from the community one of her most honored and best beloved citizens. He was 92 years young, for intellectually he never grew old.

Mr. Greeley was born in Boston, Massachusetts, October 11, 1824, the son of Samuel and Louisa May (Greely) Greeley. On June 20, 1855, he married at Chicago, Illinois, Annie Morris Larned, who died January 1, 1864. He was married a second time at Brookline, Massachusetts, October

6, 1865, to Eliza May Wells, who died in September, 1880. Mr. Greeley was a cousin of Louisa M. Alcott.

Descended from this pioneer New England stock, his education was acquired in the East. He entered Groton Academy in 1834, and Framingham in 1837, graduating in 1840. Entering Harvard the same year he graduated 1844, and then removed to Akron, Ohio, the educational center of the West, where he taught school. His journey gave him a broad range of the topography of the country, since he traveled part by rail, part by stage coach, and the greater distance by canal. He returned East in 1845, and entered Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, graduating from there the following year. Returning to Boston, he obtained a position as rod and chain man on the Lake Cochituate water works then building to supply the city. He was employed under F. S. Criborough, engineer in charge, who later became engineer of the city of Chicago, and in that capacity planned and supervised the construction of Chicago's first lake tunnel and crib. After that he was employed as engineer in locating railroads and in doing construction work in New York, Vermont, and Virginia.

The scholastic advantages offered in Europe in that day appealed to him and in 1851, together with his friend, F. M. Cribor, he went abroad. He lived in Paris, sight seeing, studying engineering, and acquiring that knowledge of French for which he was always noted. After a sojourn in Europe for about two years he returned to America.

The lake, the river, the wide stretch of prairie, giving promise of a great city in the future, lured him to Chicago in October, 1853. In March, 1854, he opened a land surveying office. With the exception of one short interval in 1861-62 when he was engaged in the manufacture of threshing machines, he continued in this business until withdrawn from active business life a few months before the end. He was elected City Surveyor of Chicago, 1855-57-59. In 1857 under the mayoralty of Wentworth and Haines, Mr. Boston was appointed Superintendent of Public Works in Chicago. Mr. Boston with Mr. Greeley and E. S. Criborough constituted a committee to establish the present street grade of Chicago. Much of the first block paving was done during this administration. Mr. Greeley afterward invented a block pavement which was used to a limited extent. While engaged in this public work and even in

the law offices, when he became assistant superintendent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, he still kept his survey office open. He resigned from the railroad after a few months.

In 1859 Mr. Greeley associated with him as partners, his son, the late Frederick Greeley, Gustav H. Carlson, now deceased, Sylvester N. Howard, and later his son Morris L. Greeley. The business was incorporated, 1867, as the Greeley-Howard-Nordin Co., with offices in the Opera House block. Mr. Greeley as surveyor was engaged on many important engineering projects not only in Chicago, but in other parts of Illinois. Many of Chicago's most notable buildings and many of its subdivisions were his planning. He once told the writer of his experiences in running the line of Michigan Avenue and of meeting resistance to its being carried through the abandoned Fort Dearborn parade-ground. The famous "Sand Bar Case" also enlisted Mr. Greeley's services as well as those of Abraham Lincoln and the Honorable Fernando Jones, then quite a youth.

In the 1871 fire his home and office were destroyed, together with all contents — his specifications for different work in hand-plants, plats, engineering tools, and everything. Two weeks after, he opened a surveying office in the kitchen of a dwelling house at Wabash and Harrison Street at the southern end of the burnt district. The advice of Mr. Greeley was sought on legal matters and he was called as expert witness in various litigated cases in which Abraham Lincoln, Robert Ingersoll, and many other eminent lawyers were engaged.

Mr. Greeley was the oldest graduate of Harvard and was always a loyal son of his Alma Mater. In 1857 with four other congenial Harvard men he organized in Ambrose and Jackson's old restaurant, at the old number, 91 Clark Street, the Harvard Club of Chicago, of which he was first president, and, at his death, president emeritus. Mr. Greeley was one of the first members of the Western Society of Engineers, and for many years and to the time of his demise, was a member of the Illinois Society of Engineers and Surveyors. He was a Mason and a member of Aladdin Lodge No. 308 from 1857, and was one of the corporators of the Chicago Relief and Aid Society, organized 1857.

On coming to Chicago he joined the Unitarian Society, which had its church on Washington near Clark Street, and



NORMAN W. HARRIS  
(President)



BRYAN LATHROP  
(Undersecretary)



HENRY H. HOWARD



CHARLES M. HOWARD  
(M. D.)



later was one of those who organized a new Unitarian Society on the north side.

Possessed of a literary talent and a keen sense of humor his writings have a refreshing crispness, even youthfulness. Mr. Greeley presented several papers before the Chicago Historical Society that were wonderfully entertaining and at the same time imparted a fund of first-hand information always naively given. Among these were "Recollections of Rev. William Barry," "The Evolution of Chicago's Diagonal Streets," "Stamp-Tab Currency," "Reminiscences of the Great Fire." He began to study the paths of Chicago in the early fifties, and probably knew the physical Chicago, its avenues, streets and alleys more thoroughly than any of his contemporaries.

Mr. Greeley is survived by four children: Louis M. Greeley, of LaGrange; Morris L. Greeley of Winnetka; Mrs. Lowell Copeland and Miss Ruth Lyman Greeley of Winnetka, Illinois.

NORMAN WAITE HARRIS, banker, philanthropist, and traveler, born in Becket, Berkshire County, Massachusetts, August 15, 1846, died at Wadsworth Hall, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, July 15, 1916. He was the son of Nathan Waite and Charity Emeline (Wadsworth) Harris. His father was a farmer, who because of his integrity was called upon to settle many estates. His first paternal American ancestor was Thomas Harris, who came from England, 1630, and with his wife Elizabeth settled in Charlestown, Massachusetts.

Mr. Harris was educated at the public schools of Becket and Westfield, the Westfield Academy and the Rochester (N. Y.) Business College. He began his business career as solicitor for the Equitable Life Insurance Society, becoming its general agent at Cincinnati, Ohio, 1866. Later in the same year, at twenty years of age, he organized the Union Central Life Insurance Company of which he was secretary and general manager during the next thirteen years. During his administration of the company's affairs he earned a wide reputation for financial ability, even taking advantage of the panic of 1873 to increase the surplus profits within a few weeks by a sum nearly equal to the total capital of the institution. He resigned in 1880 on account of poor health and spent the following year in Europe. At that time the

Union Central was the second largest insurance company in the West, but by 1911 its assets exceeded \$25,000,000.

Mr. Harris returned to the United States in 1881 and established the banking house of N. W. Harris & Company, with offices at Clark and Randolph Streets, a company which soon became one of the leading bond firms in the United States, making a specialty of government, state, and municipal securities and other high grade investments. He served until 1907 as the head of this institution which had branch houses both in New York and Boston, and whose annual sales of bonds amounted to \$45,000,000.

In the latter year he established the Harris Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago, of which he served as president until 1915. Since that time until the day of his decease, he was chairman of its board of directors. Mr. Harris was also chairman of the board of directors of the Michigan State Telephone Company and a director of various other corporations.

Because Mr. Harris was an influential man outside of financial circles his advice was sought by various institutions. A conspicuous object of his generosity was the Northwestern University of which for 26 years he was trustee. December, 1915, he handed over keys of Harris Hall of Political Science and History, dedicated to "good government, responsible citizenship, and social service," which together with the endowment cost him \$250,000. He was trustee of the Northwestern University settlement and was the largest almoner towards building the Chicago Training School for City, Home and Foreign Missions. In 1895 he donated one quarter of an entire section of land, erected Harris Hall, containing 143 rooms, and Harris Chapel in connection with the institution, and at the time of his death was president of its board of trustees. He took pleasure in the preparation of missionaries for work in home and foreign lands, having sent over 500 trained workers into the field from one school. He bequeathed \$50,000 to Mt. Holyoke College for Women.

Mr. Harris was a member of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of America, vice-president of the board of the Chicago Y. M. C. A. and contributed \$50,000 towards building the new Y. M. C. A. hotel, which opened in 1916 with 1821 rooms. He founded the Harris School for Nurses, and took particular interest in the training of nurses to work among the poor and unfortunate. He created and

endowed with \$250,000, the N. W. Harris Public School Extension work of the Field Museum, by means of which cases containing natural history specimens were made available for the use of the public schools, thus bringing the treasures of the Museum into the public schools of Chicago for instructional purposes. He had been a valued Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society since January 14, 1901.

Mr. Harris was thrice married, first in January 1, 1867, to Jacynthia, daughter of Anderson Wood and Sarah (Dryden) Vallandingham of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Louisville, Kentucky; January 28, 1875, to Clara, daughter of John Cochran, a Cincinnati banker, and in April 21, 1879, to Emma S., daughter of Dr. J. G. Gale of Newton, New Hampshire and great-great granddaughter of Josiah Bartlett, sometime governor of that state. Of this third marriage, three children were born: Pearl Emma, wife of M. H. MacLean of Chicago, Hayden Bartlett Harris of New York and Stanley Gale Harris of Chicago. Mrs. Harris, who throughout their married life was a strong helpmate to him in his various projects and undertakings, being at all times in sympathy with his efforts and wishes, survives.

CHARLES MORGAN HEWITT, for many years a resident of Chicago, died suddenly at Palm Beach, Florida, Thursday, March 16, 1916. Mr. Hewitt was the son of Elias Hewitt, a Detroit banker, and Elizabeth Griselda Wheatley. Mr. Hewitt was born in Detroit August 7, 1857, and received his education in the public schools of that city. While quite young, he entered the employ of the Michigan Central Railroad, going to Pullman in 1881, where he became manager of one of the large departments of the Pullman works, then in course of construction. Mr. Hewitt remained in the employ of the Pullman Company until 1886, when he became general manager, in succession, of the Lafayette Car Works, at Lafayette, Indiana, and the St. Charles Car Company at St. Charles, Missouri. Moving from St. Charles to Chicago in 1899, he engaged in the manufacturing business. In rapid succession he promoted and organized and became president of one manufacturing concern after another, among them the Hewitt Manufacturing Company, brass founders, Featherstone Foundry and Machine Company, National Brake Shoe Company,

and the Hewitt Supply Company, developing each to a high standard of efficiency. Mr. Hewitt displayed remarkable energy and constructive ability in developing his various lines of business, and his success was well deserved. In the summer of 1913 his health became seriously impaired from overwork, and he suffered a nervous breakdown, in consequence of which he was induced to dispose of interests in many of his companies, hence at the time of his death he had practically retired from business. Upon the recent improvement in his health he was again becoming active in the commercial world, having become chairman of the board of the Magnus Company, which had taken over the Hewitt companies and his other interests in the West.

Mr. Hewitt was a member of numerous clubs, business organizations, and societies, throughout the country, and has been an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society since March 19, 1910. Although he was fond of all outdoor sports, golf and travel were his favorite recreations.

Charles M. Hewitt will long be remembered in the business world for his initiative, and his career will be an inspiration to many young men who, starting out on the long road to success, were so fortunate as to be his associates. His wonderful magnetism brought him friends and he possessed that rare gift, personality, that held the friends once made.

A brother, Herbert H. Hewitt and Mrs. Hewitt, who was Miss Pauline C. Duback, a daughter of John Duback of Detroit, and whom he married at Detroit, Michigan, July 27, 1879, survive him.

HENRY HAMILTON HINRICH was born in Louisville, Kentucky, February 19, 1824. He died at his residence, 841 Lincoln Parkway, Chicago, August 16, 1916, in the presence of his sons and daughters, all of whom had been gathered home by news of his illness. He was in his ninety-third year and until the week before, when he suffered a heart attack, had been as vigorous as a man of fifty. It had been his custom to walk daily from his home to the Hinrich office in the Peoples Gas Building, 122 South Michigan Avenue, and not even the record breaking hot spell of the summer of 1916 deterred him from taking the long walk. Two days before he was stricken he spent the evening at a theater and appeared in the best of spirits.

His ancestors on both sides came of French stock. His

paternal grandfather, Jean Antoine Honoré, born in Paris, France, of an old and aristocratic family, was educated for the priesthood, although he had no inclination in that direction. He had imbibed the liberal ideas of his personal friend, General Marquis Lafayette, and being in thorough sympathy with the struggle then going on in the American Colonies, he came to the New World in 1781, bringing with him what was then a considerable fortune. Locating at Baltimore, Maryland, he was an honored resident of that city until his removal to Louisville, Kentucky, in 1806, where he became one of the city's successful men, taking an active part in the development of that section of the country.

Francis Honoré, son of Jean Antoine Honoré, was born in Baltimore, Maryland, in 1792, and went to Louisville, Kentucky, with his parents when fourteen years old. He married Matilda Lockwood, a daughter of Captain Benjamin Lockwood of the United States Army, stationed at Fort Dearborn, Illinois, where his daughter was born.

Henry Hamilton Honoré, their son, after finishing his education at Hanover College, divided his time between his grandfather's home in Louisville and his father's country estate, beginning his business life in Louisville, where he was one of the progressive merchants. In the meantime, his interest became aroused by tales of Fort Dearborn told by his grandfather, Captain Lockwood, and by his father, who had journeyed to Chicago in 1840. In 1853 Mr. Honoré decided to visit the place himself. His farseeing mind was able to grasp the immense opportunities offered by the then undeveloped city, and in 1855 he removed there, his enthusiasm inducing some of his friends to follow him, and others to send him funds for investment.

His first investment in Chicago was the purchase of a residence on the North Side of the city in the center of a square, comprising an entire block, on North Clark Street, between Erie and Ontario streets, then a favorite residence locality. Near by were the equally extensive grounds of William B. Ogden, Mrs. E. B. McCagg, Gurdon S. Hubbard, Isaac N. Arnold, E. M. Sheldon and other prominent citizens.

The present business section of the city appealed to Mr. Honoré's shrewd foresight, and he bought much property on Dearborn Street, which then ran south only to Madison Street. He opened it through and built first a bank building

and later two large and handsome office buildings which were burnt at the time of the great fire. He claimed that Dearborn Street would become one of the important office building streets, and his predictions were amply verified. After the fire he rescored business in a shed and continued the work upon which he had been engaged, living out two subdivisions on each side of Ashland Boulevard.

The magnificent system of parks and boulevards encircling Chicago, known collectively as the North, South and West Park systems, are very largely the result of Mr. Honore's good taste, foresight and public spirit. He was a most potent influence on the committee sent to Springfield to secure the legislation necessary for this wonderful addition to Chicago's beauty and healthfulness. At a banquet held about the time of the opening of the Columbian Exposition, D. H. Burnham, the architect, said of Mr. Honore: "Too much cannot be said of what he has contributed to Chicago's growth. Wherever his hand appeared there has been big, broad development. He has ever looked into the future, planned for the future, acted for the future. He is a grand, good man. Chicago owes him a monument."

Mr. Honore was married in 1846 to Miss Eliza Carr, a daughter of Captain John Carr, of Oldham County, Kentucky, and they had six children, namely, Adrian C., Bertha, Henry H., Jr., Ida M., Nathaniel K. and Lockwood. His eldest daughter, Bertha, is the widow of the late Peter Palmer, while his youngest daughter, Ida, is the widow of the late Major-General Frederick Dent Grant, a son of General U. S. Grant, and for four years United States Minister to the Court of Austria-Hungary.

Mr. Honore's grandchildren are Major Ulysses S. Grant and Princess Cantacuzene of Petrograd, Russia, Honore and Peter Palmer, Jr., and Bertha Honore of Chicago. He had eleven great-grandchildren, three children of Major Grant, three children of Powers Cantacuzene, two children of Honore Palmer and three children of Peter Palmer, Jr.

Mr. Honore, although not a member of many clubs, became a Late Member of the Chicago Historical Society in 1865.

CHARLES ANDREWS KIRKLAND, born in Chicago, September 3, 1860, son of the late Steneca D. and Elizabeth (Prayne) Kirkland, died March 10, 1916, at the Chicago Beach Hotel.

in his fifty-sixth year. His father and mother belonged to the early settlers whose number is becoming less and less each year. With the passing of Mr. Kimbark there drops from the records the name of one of the old families that helped to put Chicago on the map as one of the world's business martyrs.

He was for years his father's close companion, and when the former retired in 1905 at the age of 73, Mr. Kimbark took over the father's business interests. Seneca Kimbark was one of the park commissioners who had in charge the laying out of the South Side park system, including Washington and Jackson parks, and the now famous boulevard known as the Midway, at the time of its promotion considered "too far south" by more conservative, but less far-sighted men. He also was one who helped secure to the city the lake front. Kimbark Avenue, South Side, was named in his honor.

His mother was formerly Miss Elizabeth Pruyne, a daughter of Hon. Peter Pruyne, at one time a colleague of Senator Douglas in the state senate. There were three children, Charles A. Marie, and Grace (Mrs. F. J. Howell). Mrs. Kimbark was born in Chicago on the day of the inauguration of William B. Ogden, the first mayor of Chicago, May 2, 1837. Her ready wit, bright intellectual power, kindly disposition and geniality won for her a circle of friends which mere social prominence could not attract.

The son had read much, traveled much, and inherited much of the ready wit of his mother.

He was one of the charter members of the Chicago Athletic Club and an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society.

BRYAN LATHROP, an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society since 1893, passed away May 13, 1916, at his residence, 120 Bellevue Place. Two months previously he had undergone a serious operation at the Presbyterian Hospital. With him when the end came were his wife and his sister, Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, wife of the author and United States Ambassador to Italy. Bryan Lathrop was born August 6, 1844, at Alexandria, Virginia. His father was Jedediah Hyde Lathrop, of Lebanon, New Hampshire, the Lathrops being descended from the English family of Lathrop or Lothrop who came to New England for religious

reasons. His mother was Manana Barbour (Bryan) Lathrop of Alexandria, Virginia.

Mr. Lathrop married Miss Helen Lynde Aldis, daughter of Judge Asa O. Aldis of Washington, D. C., April 21, 1875. Mrs. Lathrop who is widely known for her activities in civic betterment and charities had been in close sympathy with her husband in his musical, literary, and social interests.

His education was begun in America. Mr. Lathrop, Sr., lived in Alexandria, Virginia, prior to the Civil War, and when the war broke out Bryan was at Dunwiddie School in Virginia, being prepared for the University of Virginia. When the family moved to Washington he was sent to Europe to complete his education. Here he studied for several years under private tutors at Dresden, Paris, and in Italy, learning to speak French and German fluently. It was in Europe that his interest became aroused in art, landscape gardening, and music. He often stated that he thought those years in Europe at that formative period were of more benefit to him than a university education would have been.

At the close of the Civil War he returned to the United States. In 1865, after he had attained his majority—twenty-one—he came to Chicago and went into the real estate business with his uncle, the late Hon. Thomas B. Bryan, who was interested in Graceland Cemetery, established about five years before, and of which Mr. Lathrop was afterward president.

As a civic leader, Mr. Lathrop was intensely interested in the development of Chicago, laying special emphasis on all enterprises which would improve, benefit, and beautify the city. He was a Member at Large of the Chicago Association of Commerce and keenly alert to its broadening influences both in bringing foreign trade to Chicago and sending products from Chicago manufacturers outward for consumption. In truth there were few local or national activities in which he was not concerned. His greatest services to Chicago were through his contributions and services to various institutions and organizations. It was largely through his efforts that Orchestra Hall was built and the Orchestra assumed permanent establishment. He had been identified with the financing of the Orchestra from its inception by Theodore Thomas, and was its president for many years. For the upbuilding of the Orchestra he gave

unremittingly in money, counsel, and work. For perpetuation of this he made a splendid provision in his will, bequeathing to it in reversion at the death of his wife the larger part of his estate. Only a year ago he gave \$25,000 toward the pension and sick benefit fund of the Thomas Orchestra.

Much of the extension of Lincoln Park and the reclaiming of the land from the lake was due to his energy. Charitable to the needy, he did not confine his aims alone to Chicago where he had been president of the Relief and Aid Society giving both time and funds to War Relief. He was one of the trustees of the Art Institute and the Newberry Library, belonged to the Century Club of New York City, and had been president of the University Club, and of the Saddle and Cycle Club of Chicago, and a member of the Chicago Literary Club. Mr. Lathrop was also an Annual Member of the Chicago Historical Society.

CHARLES HENRY McCONNELL, the pioneer in the cut-rate drug business in America, Civil War veteran, and theatrical manager, died March 17, 1916, in his seventy-fifth year.

Major McConnell was born in Dublin, Ireland, October 12, 1841, and with his parents came to the United States when five years old. The family lived in New York for a year and then moved to Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1847, and to Detroit in 1851, where in the public schools he received his early education. Later, he was a printer's boy in the office of the old *Detroit Tribune*, serving a seven-year apprenticeship there. The apprenticeship terminated three weeks before his enlistment in the Twenty-fourth Michigan Infantry, July 24, 1862. He served all through the Civil War in the famous "Iron Brigade" of the Army of the Potomac, participating in numerous battles.

March 4, 1873, found Major McConnell in Chicago. Soon after coming here, in connection with J. H. Haverly, the theatrical man, he organized the National Show Printing and Engraving Company, with an office at 118 Monroe Street, and made it the leading establishment of its kind in the United States.

In 1892 Major McConnell established the first cut-rate drug business in the United States.

Major McConnell was a well-known collector and had a valuable private museum of Lincoln and Civil War relics.

In 1915 he presented to the Chicago Historical Society, of which he was an Annual Member, a cultural bas-relief in staff of Abraham Lincoln. He was a member of the Chicago Athletic and Kenwood clubs and the Chicago Retail Druggists Association.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Clara V. McConnell, and a daughter, Mrs. George A. Wright.

**JOSEPH STANLEY MARTIN**, a man known to many in the political world of Chicago, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gerrards E. Martin Johnson, May 21, 1916, aged 65. He was born in Corning, New York, August 17, 1853.

He came to Chicago as a boy, his first work being that of billboy at the Metropolitan Hotel, corner of Randolph Street and Fifth Avenue.

Mr. Martin prospered financially and politically, but at the height of his success he had occasion to consult John Peter Altgeld, then a practicing attorney in Chicago, was attracted by Mr. Altgeld's personality and through his advice gave up the gambling business, and threw his political influence, which was great, for the future governor.

When Mr. Altgeld died suddenly of heart disease at Joliet while making a speech in behalf of the Boers, Mr. Martin was inconsolable. There was a dearth of money with which to pay the funeral expenses of the man who had reformed a bribe that would have kept his family above water for all their lives. Mr. Martin went to his friends and raised a sum with which to pay off the indebtedness and provided a \$10,000 fund for the widow. When Governor Daine was inaugurated the first appeal came to him from Mr. Martin. He asked for and secured the passage of a bill carrying an appropriation of \$25,000 for the erection of a monument in honor of the late governor of Illinois, Altgeld. This monument has recently been erected in Lincoln Park.

Mr. Martin had memorial services held every year in memory of Governor Altgeld, securing orators from various parts of the country. At the service in 1912 the Rev. Herbert S. Bogelot said: "While sitting here I have been thinking of another name, it seems to me we should link with the name of Altgeld upon this occasion, for next to greatness itself is the power of appreciating greatness. There is a man in this crowd this afternoon, a man who would have been glad to have laid down his life for Governor Altgeld. I

want that name written into the record this afternoon. Let us remember the name of Joseph Stanley Martin."

In 1905 Mr. Martin had a portrait of Governor Altgeld painted by Mr. Ralph Clarkson, Chicago's best known portrait artist, and presented this, together with a set of the Governor's writings, to the Historical Society. Nowhere did the name of Martin appear in connection with the gift, but selected and engraved on a brass tablet which hung below were certain memorable utterances of Governor Altgeld's.

ELIA A. MARSH, an Annual Member of the Society since 1907, was born at Kalamazoo, Michigan, May 18, 1837, a daughter of John Pitt Marsh and Fanny J. Ransom, and there married December 5, 1855, James M. Walker. They moved to Chicago where she lived until her death, April 19, 1916. She was interested in many charitable institutions, was one of the founders of the Illinois Training School for Nurses, Chicago Home for the Friendless, etc. She was a member and one time president of the Fortnightly, and a member of the Society of Colonial Dames. Mrs. Walker was extremely fond of music and a very liberal supporter of the Chicago Orchestra.

CLARENCE SUMNER PAYNE, a Corresponding Member of this Society since 1910, died January 14, 1916, at the age of 49, at his home in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mr. Payne was born in Eden Prairie township, Minnesota, June 11, 1867. The years of his early manhood were spent in the lumber camps and on the farms of that state. Later his interests turned to business pursuits, in preparation for which he attended school for a time in Minneapolis, and also completed a business college course. Locating at Boone, Iowa, he established a business college, and it was during the period of his residence in Iowa that his interest in state and local history was aroused. In 1897 he removed to Nebraska, and ten years later was elected Secretary of the Nebraska State Historical Society. From that time until the day of his death he was the center of all the movements connected with the preservation of the history of Nebraska.

"Mr. Payne's enthusiasm in the cause of history," says the *Mississippi Valley Historical Review* for September,

1916, "extended beyond the boundaries of the state of his adoption. It was he who in 1907 issued the call for the meeting at Lincoln which finally resulted in the formation of the Mississippi Valley Historical Association. . . . His never-failing optimism and his tireless, onefish labor as Secretary-Treasurer have been the most potent factors in promoting its growth and placing it upon a firm foundation."

CLARENCE IVES PECK, retired real estate owner and capitalist, passed away at his summer home, Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, July 11, 1916, after an illness of several years. He was one of the oldest native-born Chicagoans, having been born here August 29, 1841. His father, Philip F. W. Peck, born in Providence, Rhode Island, 1809, married in 1835 Mary Kent (Wether) Peck, a lady of English parentage born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and a niece of the celebrated Baptist divine, Dr. Staughton. The elder Peck came to Chicago from Buffalo, New York, in 1830 with a boat load of merchandise, with Captain Joseph Naper, the founder of Naperville. In the fall of 1831 he built and completed, at the southeast corner of La Salle and South Water streets, a two-story frame structure, the first frame building used in Chicago as a store. This property is still retained in the Peck family. Originally costing \$15, it has increased to a land value of over \$325,000. It was in an arched room above the store that the first Methodist Sunday school held its sessions. This school had been organized August 19, 1832, in a small frame building erected by Mark Brubaker. Later it assembled at the house of Rufus Brown within the stockade of the Fort, and at "Father" Walker's cabin, and then at P. F. W. Peck's room, when it is said that the librarian carried the books back and forth in his pocket handkerchief, having less than twenty volumes.

In 1836, P. F. W. Peck built the first brick building in Chicago, at the southwest corner of Washington and La Salle streets, and it was at this location that the son, Clarence Ives Peck, was born. The family later moved to the corner of Jackson and Clark streets, the present site of the Grand Pacific Hotel. Clarence as a boy used to shoot wild pigeons on the present site of the Board of Trade Building. He was educated at the Central, now the McKinley, High School, graduating in the class of 1860. He later studied law but never practiced.



EUGENE S. PECK  
(Minister)



GEORGE L. PECK  
(Minister)



HIRAM L. WAY



WHITE



Mr. Peck first started in business in the early sixties as a member of the wholesale grocery firm of Pollard, Doane & Company, which later changed to Doane, Peck & Company, and still later to Clarence L. Peck. This business was sold out and Mr. Peck went into the wholesale cordage and woodenware business as a member of the firm of Cupples, Marston & Peck, later Marston & Peck Brothers, which firm terminated with the fire, 1871. Since that time Mr. Peck has attended to his own large real estate interests and personal affairs.

He was instrumental in the erection of the Chicago Stock Exchange Building and the Chicago Auditorium. He was also interested in numerous charities. He numbered among his host of friends many of the most prominent men in Chicago, who admired and loved him for his upright character, his fairness in all business dealings, and his loyalty to his friends. Perhaps no man ever living in Chicago has unostentatiously done more for the upbuilding of the city than has Mr. Peck.

Mr. Peck was a member of the Chicago, South Shore Country, Union League, Chicago Athletic, and Twentieth Century clubs, an associate member of the Chicago Real Estate Board, a life member of the Art Institute of Chicago, and an Annual Member of the Historical Society.

Clarence L. Peck married in 1886 Mary B. Field, a daughter of Spafford C. and Martha A. (Cooper) Field. They had children: Philip F. W., a graduate of Yale, class 1907, Winfield Peck, graduate class 1911, and who died February, 1915, after brief illness; Harold S., who died 1884, and Miss Martha Field Peck. Beside the widow and the two remaining children Mr. Peck is survived by one brother, Ferdinand W. Peck.

**EUGENE SAMUEL PIKE**, one of the city's pioneer builders, died at St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago, October 17, 1916, at the age of 81. He was born in Perry, Lake County, Ohio, October 5, 1835, son of Daniel Harmon and Jerusha Hartwell Pike, whose English ancestors had settled in New England as far back as 1635.

Through the early death of his parents, Mr. Pike was compelled to make his own living, and to provide for himself the education which he was so ambitious to secure. After preliminary education, and two years at Kirkland College

and Hiram monomy, he was admitted to Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, where he remained two years.

His first business venture — the buying and selling of fruit trees throughout Ohio — which provided tuition for his last year at college, was but the beginning of a long series of business adventures. The buying and selling of fruit trees branched into the importing of nursery stock from France. Later when a French nursery catalogue, with wholesale prices attached, fell by chance into his possession, Mr. Pike decided to go at once to France, to be his own middleman, and thus save the intermediary cost. With only two hundred dollars over and above passage money, he sailed for France, bought what stock he could, and got time on the remainder. The seller shipped it to New Orleans, which was the base of supplies. On selling, Mr. Pike made large and quick profits by which he paid off all obligations, and in 1861 established at Painesville, Ohio, the Western Reserve Bank.

Not only in banking, but in each business event of his career he was a success.

Mr. Pike came to Chicago in 1867, six years after disposing of his bank at Painesville. The bankers of Chicago recognized him at once as a man of affairs, for he immediately deposited \$175,000 with the First National Bank, whose entire deposits prior to his coming were but \$170,000.

The possibilities of real estate soon attracted his attention. He invested in ground situated in what is to-day known as "the Loop." In 1867 this portion of Chicago was called "the South Division." It was here he secured land and erected substantial modern buildings, evidenced by the Pike Building at the southwest corner, and the Monroe Building at the northeast corner of State and Monroe streets, the Pike Building being the first to be erected after the great fire of 1871.

With the panic of 1872-73 Mr. Pike was compelled to decide between the northeast and southwest corners of State and Monroe, for he could not retain both. He finally retained the latter. At one time the Unity Building was in his name, and thus he sold at a price which brought him a fortune. Seeing the potentialities of land which had then only one-story buildings, he bought a grocery and market. Both Franklin Street and Fifth Avenue, where he owned property at the time of his death, early appeared to

him as good prospects for investment, as well as the site of the Great Northern Hotel. At the time when the promoters of the Great Northern came to Mr. Pike to lease the land, he fixed the rental at \$50,000 a year.

"Mr. Pike's share in the growth of Chicago," says *The Post*, "was none the less real because it was confined to the solid, unromantic work of banking and real estate growth. Knowing the city from its youth as he did, he retained always a remarkable instinct as to its probable development, a fact that made his real estate judgment one of the soundest in the city. Mr. Pike took his part well in the growth of Chicago. The city will have to see to it that men of the generation come forward to take up the burden that men of his generation are slowly laying down."

While Mr. Pike turned his chief attention to real estate he was active in public and philanthropic work. In 1885 he was elected to the directorate of the First National Bank where he has since served uninterruptedly. Of the Northwestern Mutual Insurance Company of Milwaukee he was a trustee, and a resident director of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. Later, when the Manchester Fire Assurance Company of England was establishing a branch in the United States, he was selected to act as one of the three trustees in America. As a director of the Columbian Exposition Company he did his share toward bringing into being the triumph of his generation. As a trustee of the Presbyterian Hospital he contributed to one of the city's greatest institutions. At the time of his death he was also a trustee of the Home for Incurables, and of the Second Presbyterian Church, as well as founder of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church, a colony of the Second Presbyterian and a development of the Bethany Mission. Mr. Pike continued to be one of the chief supporters of this church until the time of his death.

In 1897 Mr. Pike became a Life Member of the Chicago Historical Society. Among the various clubs to which he belonged are the following: The Chicago, Saddle and Cycle, Onwentsia, South Shore County, Midday, and the celebrated Tollerton, the presences of which are now in the limits of Gary, Indiana. He was also a director of the Chicago Athletic Club, 1890-93, and a member of the building committee which rebuilt the club house after the disastrous fire.

In 1861 Mr. Pike married Mary Rockwell, daughter of Timothy and Helen (Marshall) Rockwell of Painesville, Ohio. Three sons survive: Eugene R. Pike, City Comptroller; Charles Barnill Pike and William Wallace Pike.

The following resolution was adopted by the Directors of the First National Bank, Chicago, at a meeting October 31, 1916:

Since the last meeting Eugene S. Pike, our Senior both in years and in service as a member of this Board, has passed on. For almost half a century Mr. Pike was closely identified with the growth and development of Chicago, one of its most substantial and respected citizens.

He became a director of this bank in 1867 and continuously thereafter he brought to the solution of the many problems that came before the Board that sound judgment and mature wisdom which come only from a mind endowed by nature with unusual strength, and which has been disciplined by long and wide experience in dealing with men and affairs.

Horatio Loamie Wait, for forty years Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court of Cook County, died at his residence, 4619 Dorchester Avenue, Hyde Park, Chicago, July 15, 1916. Mr. Wait was born in New York City, August 8, 1836. He came from New England fighting stock, noted for its patriotism, integrity, and character, and was himself an officer in the United States Navy during and after the Civil War. Mr. Wait was the son of Joseph and Harriet Heideman (Whitney) Wait. Joseph Wait, the great-grandfather of Horatio, was captain of the Ranger Corps commanded by Major Robert Rogers during the French and Indian wars. Afterward he commanded a company of Ethan Allen's Green Mountain Boys and was one of the historic eighty-three with whom Allen captured Ticonderoga.

Mr. Wait was educated at Trinity School, connected with the old Trinity Church on Broadway, New York, at the Columbia Grammar School and Columbia College, and came to Chicago May 1, 1856, being influenced thereto by a relative, Horatio Gates Loamie, and began to study law in the office of Jonathan Young Scammon.

With his ancestry it was not singular that he should want to be at the front when the cloud of Civil War arose. It

meant leaving behind the young wife he had married in the spring of the preceding year, but he made haste to enlist in Captain Bradley's company of the Sixteenth Illinois Infantry. Because this regiment was too slow in organization to suit his impetuous nature, he obtained his release, and applied for and obtained a position in the naval service. He was ordered to report to Rear Admiral Paulding at New York. His commission as assistant paymaster with rank of Master was handed him by Abraham Lincoln, in person, at the White House. Of this incident he often spoke to his friends with justifiable pride. His commission, yellowed with age, he left to his sons as a priceless heritage. This was but the beginning of a highly creditable service which brought him into close and continuous association with many of the most distinguished commanders of the American Navy of that period. Not only at that time, but at Manila Bay, he and Admiral George Dewey became warm friends.

Master Wait was ordered by President Lincoln to duty on board the U. S. steamer "Pembina," in the squadron under command of Admiral Dupont. The "Pembina" was at that time blockading the entrance to Savannah, but was a little later sent on a cruise in pursuit of the "Alabama," and in the winter of 1862 it reported to Admiral Farragut, whose squadron was doing blockade duty at Pensacola off Mobile. Here the "Pembina" was in several spirited engagements with Confederate batteries, captured two blockade runners and aided in the capture of others, a service which gave young Wait plenty of picket and boat duty and afforded him varied, exciting, and instructive experience in war on water. When the "Pembina" was sent north for repair he was transferred to the steamer "Mary Sanford," which conveyed ammunition to Charleston for the "Monitor" fleet.

A few months later he was ordered to report to Rear Admiral Dahlgren for duty on the flagship "Philadelphia" and participated in the naval events which, in conjunction with the artillery operations of General Gilmore, led to and culminated in the surrender of Fort Sumter to the Federals. He also assisted in the ceremonies of the celebration, a portion of which consisted in Major Anderson's hoisting over the fort the same flag he had been compelled to lower in 1861. Mr. Wait's skill as a draftsman led

Admiral Dahlgren to give him the task of sketching from telescopic observation a submarine torpedo boat then under construction on Charleston. It was while serving under Admiral Dahlgren at the siege of Charleston, he had charge of a fleet of dispatch boats and mounting rags, nicknamed "Wait's Bouquet" because each boat was given the name of a flower.

After peace was restored Mr. Wait was transferred to the United States ship "Iris," and with the European squadron visited the European ports from Great Britain to Italy.

Among the many honors which Commander Wait received from the government for his valiant services was a medal given him by Act of Congress, and which is among the highly prized trophies held by his sons.

Major Wait — his friends loved to call him that, by reason of his rank as paymaster in the Navy — resigned at the close of the War and, returning to Chicago, entered the law office of Barker & Fullay. He was admitted to the Illinois Bar August 22, 1870, and at the same time formed a partnership with Joseph H. Barker under the firm name, Barker & Wait. Later the firm became Barker, Fullay & Wait and so continued until its dissolution in 1876 when Commander Wait was appointed Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court of Cook County, an office which he held until the time of his death — the longest period for any one man to hold the Mastership in America. He drew the Bill creating the Illinois Naval Reserve.

That Commander Wait was diversified in his tastes and interests is shown by his affiliation with different societies. He was one of the prime movers for the upkeep of the Naval Veterans Association, an honorary member of the Paraguay Boat and the Chicago Yacht clubs. He was a director of the Grand Army Hall and Association, and George H. Thomas Post of the G. A. R. He was one of the founders of the Charity Organization Society, formed about the time of the Big Fire, as well as being an active member of the Illinois and Chicago Bar Associations. He was Dean of the Law school, where he lectured and did other valuable and important work. Keenly alive to the influence of art, he was a life member of the Art Institute and was for many years on the board of directors of the Chicago Public Library.

Commander Wait was a valued member of the Chicago Historical Society, becoming a Sustaining member, 1889.

He, from time to time, presented to the Society valuable historical relics. In tendering a framed colored lithograph of the *Confederate Prison Pen at Andersonville, North Carolina, during the Civil War*, to the Society he wrote: "I hope the Historical Society will give this a place in their valuable collection, for it treats of the greatest act of deliberate cruelty in the history of the warfare of the world. Many of our noblest Chicago, Illinois, and Ohio men, starved to death here."

Commander Wait married, May 7, 1860, Miss Clara Conant Long, daughter of James Long, one of the most respected early settlers of Cook County, creator of the pioneer log water pipe system of Chicago, and the builder of the old Hydraulic Mill. The death of Mrs. Wait in 1908 was a severe blow resulting in a gradual decline which culminated in his answering the Last Roll Call. Two sons survived: Henry Heilman Wait and James Joseph Wait, president of the Merchants' Light & Rage Company of Chicago.

ELIAS MARVIN WATKINS died at his home, in Highland Park, Illinois, December 6, 1916.

Mr. Watkins was born at Seneca Falls, New York, August 2, 1836, the son of Daniel and Elvira (Clark) Watkins. When about eleven years of age his parents removed to what was then the "wilds of Michigan," near Jackson. His father bought a tract of land, where with his wife and children pioneer life was begun. Elias was the second of five children, having one sister older and three younger brothers, all of whom helped make the home and till the ground. Living on a farm in a new country it is not surprising that he received only the common school education; he studied nevertheless and read what he could of books worth while.

The desire and necessity of providing for his own support led to his initial step into the business world. Like so many others who leave the farm when they are twenty-one, he came to Chicago, 1858. Here he found ready concurrence and assistance in the furtherance of his plans by his uncle, the late Elias F. Watkins. He soon obtained employment with the North Western railroad in the freight department, and before long held the highest position in the department.

Recognizing the need for a higher education he worked during the day and attended school at night. His uncle, however, did not finance him.

In those days of early Chicago the night schools were not housed in the public high schools as now. A fine evening school had been started in 1856 as a private undertaking, the school board giving only the use of a room in the West Market Hall on Randolph near Desplaines Street. This stood on the site of the present Haymarket square. Daniel S. Wentworth, principal of Scammon school, volunteered to conduct the evening classes, his living mainly assisted by the day teachers. The first direct support given evening schools by the Common Council was \$5,000 appropriated 1865 from the general fund.

Mr. Watkins was among the first to take advantage of this condition for civic betterment, though the curriculum was limited. He was always very strong for anything that would advance the education of boys and girls.

After leaving the North Western railroad he became identified successfully with several other business enterprises. For many years he was secretary and treasurer of the American Steam Board & Box Co., from which he resigned in 1907. This was his last business connection.

Always a lover of outdoor sports he took recreation daily on the golf links of the Excelsior Country Club, at Highland Park. He was a member of the Chicago Club, and finally interested in Art, a life member of the Art Institute.

The Chicago Historical Society is very happy to have representatives of three generations of this family. Mr. Watkins was an enrolled Annual member, being elected November 15, 1903, as is his son Frederick A. Watkins. The uncle, Elias T. Watkins, a Life member, bequeathed to the society \$5,000, which became the Elias T. Watkins Fund, and the subject of this sketch left to the Society \$1,000.

The grandparents of Mr. Watkins were Daniel and Elizabeth Watkins of Rochester, New York. It was while visiting them he met Miss Lydia Fowler, whom he married October 17, 1867, and who lives in the home at Highland Park. The fruit of this union were four children—Mary Angeline, Edward Brewster, Harry Fowler, and Frederick A., the only one living.

HORACE WHITE died, aged 82, September 16, 1916, at his residence, 18 West Sixteenth Street, New York City, after a long illness.

Mr. White, although a resident of Chicago from 1853 to 1872, had made his home in New York for many years.

One of this country's leading journalists and a survivor of the group of distinguished editors, which included Whitelaw Reid, of the *New York Tribune* and Murat Halstead of the old *Cincinnati Commercial*, Mr. White shared in the title "The Triumvirate" during the campaign of 1892.

Horace White was born at Colbrook, Coos County, New Hampshire, August 10, 1831. His father, Dr. Horace White, who was a prominent physician in the East, made the journey West in a one-horse sleigh in the winter of 1836-7 to Wisconsin Territory, where, having selected the present city of Beloit as the location for a New England colony, he removed his family the following summer. They lived in the first log cabin on the present site of Beloit whose citizens are planning the erection of a memorial statue in honor of Horace White, Jr., and his father, the founder of Beloit College, who died in 1843.

Horace entered Beloit College. Graduating with honor 1853, he came to Chicago with the reputation of being one of the most scholarly young men in the West. His apprenticeship in journalism was served on the *Chicago Evening Journal*, of which Charles L. Wilson was editor, in 1854. Mr. White was appointed agent for the Associated Press in 1855, and the following year assistant secretary of the Kansas National Committee with headquarters in Chicago, which position he retained until the disbandment of that organization when he became a writer on *The Chicago Tribune*.

In this position he became a personal friend of Abraham Lincoln, and was said at the time of his death to be the last of those who had heard the wonderful debates between Lincoln and Douglas in 1858. He was assigned by Dr. C. H. Ray, the editor, to travel through Illinois with Lincoln in his campaign for the senatorship. He heard all the debates, scheduled and extra. Says *The Chicago Tribune*: "Some time earlier, while a reporter on the *Chicago Evening Journal*, Mr. White had reported a discussion between Lincoln the 'Rail Splitter,' and Douglas the 'Little Giant,' at Springfield. After hearing Lincoln's speech, he wrote, 'I should have voted for him for president or king of the world if the opportunity had been presented to me.'" During those crucial years in the nation's history, from 1861 to 1864, Mr. White was correspondent of *The Chicago Tribune*, in

Washington, D. C., and secretary of the House Committee on West and Mexico. It was said that few men aside from Hay and Nicolay ever knew the history and personality of the great War President from Illinois as intimately as he.

In 1864, Mr. White bought an interest in *The Chicago Tribune*, and, a year or so later assuming the position of editor-in-chief, he used it as an organ to support Horace Greeley, against Grant. After Greeley's defeat he sold the control of the paper back to Joseph Medill, October, 1874.

After retiring from *The Chicago Tribune* he made a protracted tour of Europe and on his return united with Carl Schurz and Lawrence Gulick of *The Nation* in the purchase and reorganization of the *New York Evening Post*, 1883. He was president of the company, editor-in-chief, and editorial writer, and remained at the head of this paper until 1903 when he retired from active business life.

He was an authority on finance and the country's greatest expert on the tariff. His editorials in the *New York Evening Post* on financial questions were regarded as the most scholarly utterances of their kind in the nation. When the ratio of gold and silver became the chief political issue of the day he put out a number of pamphlets which were everywhere regarded as the deciding word on the question. "The Silver Question," "Coin's Financial Fool," and the "Gold Standard," together with his "Money and Banking Illustrated by American History," 1898, gained wide currency. As a literary scholar he specialized in Roman and Greek History, and translated from the Greek, "The Roman History of Appian of Alexandria," 1899. He edited with elaborate annotations Bastiat's "Sophismes Économiques," 1876, and Luigi Cossa's "Scienze Finanziarie," 1889. He was an indefatigable worker, and as late as 1913 wrote a "Life of Lyman Trumbull."

In the death of Mr. White the Chicago Historical Society has lost one of its oldest and staunchest supporters. He was keenly alive to saving the records of American History. Elected an Annual member in 1868, he contributed \$200 to the building erected that year. In 1914 he was made an Honorary member of the Society, and the files contain many charming letters of his giving information to the present librarian.

Mr. White's address before the Society on the evening of February 17, 1914, was one of the most remarkable de-

lived here in many years. Taking for his subject "The Lincoln-Douglas Debates," he charmed while he instructed an audience that overflowed the building, and that was itself notable. The space given in the press to accounts of this event attest its importance. Two things seemed to leave impression on those who heard this authoritative address, namely, Mr. White's exact manner of stating facts, and his modern point of view. It has since been published by the Society, and is in constant demand.

Professor Elmer Colbert, who was city editor of *The Chicago Tribune* at the time that Mr. White was its owner and managing editor, and recently, in commenting upon his high standard of honor, "He was as one man in one million."

That Mr. White was held in high regard by President Wilson was evidenced when the President sent the following tribute and message of condolence:

"*My dear Mrs. White,* — May I not extend to you my heartfelt sympathy in the death of your honored father? It is a loss which the whole country must feel, because he was everywhere known for his fine public spirit and for his willingness to render disinterested public service. His career was one of moral as well as intellectual distinction."

Three daughters survive Mr. White: Mrs. J. M. Howells, a daughter-in-law of William Dean Howells, and the Misses Martha R. and Elizabeth White. The family of Mr. White had been identified with the growth of America since 1700.

REVEREND ALBERT EMERY WELLS, originally of Nauvoo and Chester, Illinois, late of Grand Rapids, Michigan, died at Belding near the latter city on January 26, 1916. Mr. Wells was born March 28, 1838, in Nauvoo, being the only child of Daniel Hammer Wells and Eliza Robison Wells, early settlers of this state, and a descendant in the eighth generation from Thomas Wells, governor of Connecticut Colony.

Mr. Wells was educated for the clergy, graduating from *Nashota Seminary*, Wisconsin, in 1861. Ordained Deacon the same year by Bishop Kemper and Priest in 1863 by Bishop Whitehouse, his first charge was that of chaplain of a regiment in the Civil War. Then followed a number of

years of missionary labors among the Indians of Kansas and Nebraska. In 1888 he was transferred from the latter state to the Diocese of Western Michigan where he served as Registrar and Librarian, as rector of several parishes, and as general missionary, becoming a well-known and much-loved figure in at least three middle west states. Clearly associated with Bishop John N. McCormick of St. Mark's Pro-Cathedral, his body after lying in state in that edifice was borne to its final resting place by his brother clergymen.

Mr. Wells was never married, but devoted himself to his mother's welfare until her death a few years ago. The remarkable life of Eliza Robison Wells, the daughter of Rev. Charles Robison, a Baptist minister who came to this state in 1823, forms a link in Illinois history that is too little known. She was married to David H. Wells, one of the principal land owners in the neighbourhood of Commerce in 1837. Her husband had helped to lay out the town but when the Mormons commenced to arrive in 1838 began selling land to them, the hill where the Temple was located being part of his farm. Becoming converted to the Mormon doctrines he deserted his wife and infant son and in 1848 departed for Utah where he died in 1891 possessed of much wealth and 110 grandchildren.

Mrs. Wells took up life alone and dedicating her only child to the church accompanied him to Nauvoo where she served in the rectory in order to be near him. When Mr. Wells was assigned to his charge among the Indians, she accompanied him to Nebraska and was his inspiring companion until her death in Michigan, where she is survived by several members of the Robison family well known in that state.

Rev. Mr. Wells who was a Corresponding Member of the Historical Society presented to the Society in 1881 the papers of Judge Harvey Nevill, of Randolph County. These cover the century from 1770 to 1870 and contain the seals and signatures of more Illinois governors than any one collection in the Library. More recently he presented his own voluminous correspondence. One of the most distinguished of men, Mr. Wells was perhaps better versed in the history of that state than any one now living.

## MEETINGS

On November 16, 1915, occurred the fifty-ninth Annual Meeting of the Society, reported in the *Yearbook* for 1915.

On Saturday afternoon, December 11, 1915, a Special Meeting was held for the formal presentation, by Mrs. Leonard Swett, of a portrait bust of the late Leonard Swett, by Volk. Mr. Burley presided and introduced the Hon. Richard S. Tuthill, who made the presentation address on behalf of Mrs. Swett. The address which was both interesting and informing was listened to by an audience small in size but representative of this Society and of the Chicago Bar.

A Special Meeting of the Society was held at eight o'clock in the evening of January 21, 1916, for consideration of and action on proposed amendments and changes in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society. The minutes of this meeting follow.

## SPECIAL MEETING, JANUARY 21, 1916

Present: Mrs. Brewster Park, Mrs. Eulalia K. Skinner, the Librarian, Miss C. M. McEvans, and Messrs. Clarence A. Burley, Wm. H. Bodie, C. F. Gauthier, Clarence Karp, Walter R. Kirk, Seymour Morris, LaVerne Noyes, Edward L. Ryerson, Dr. O. L. Schmidt, Richard E. Schmidt, John L. Sherrill, and Frederick Tarr.

Mr. Bodie stated that the meeting had been called for consideration of a new membership class, as such a class appeared necessary, and that although the Society was in mid-life, nevertheless there were urgent reasons for increasing its income.

Mr. Bodie further stated that the Membership Committee, consisting of Messrs. Bush, Hamlin, Munroe, Lowe and Sherrill had prepared a report and a statement of the necessary changes in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society for such an innovation, and requested Mr. Sherrill to present the proposition for the Membership Committee.

Mr. Sherrill referred to the method of increasing the income as well as the popularity and usefulness of the Society by creating a new membership class, with small annual dues, in order to bring into the Society persons who are interested with the Historical Society's objects, and young people who are anxious to help, but who are restrained from joining on account of the present high dues. He emphasized the fact that *new members always add to the influence of the Society and expand its mission.*

The Secretary then read the proposed changes as follows:

## AMENDMENT

Second Section of Article II, by inserting the words "Illustrating Life and Shaping" after the word "Annual," in the second line thereof, so that the said Section shall read as follows:

**ARTICLE I.** The Society shall be composed of Honorary Life, Annual, Associate Life, Sustaining, Honorary, and Corresponding members, etc.

Amend by inserting after the last paragraph of Article I, Article II, the following paragraph:

"Sustaining members shall foot, upon the payment of one dollar, all the expenses of Annual members for one year, except the right to vote at Annual meeting."

"Associate Life members, upon the payment of one hundred dollars, shall have all the privileges of Annual members, except the right to vote in local affairs, for and during their respective terms, and the money so received shall not be required for current expenses, but shall be expended, and only the amount thereof may be expended."

Amend Section 4 of Article II (at page 24 of *Tractary*, 1914) so that said Section shall read as follows:

"Section 4. Before any person be elected a governing member to the Executive Committee, such person shall be proposed by two members of the Society, and the names of such proposed member and the purpose shall have been posted for at least two weeks. Subsequent members may be elected, however, at any meeting of such Committee upon application without such posting and without being posted."

#### SECTION I.

Amend Section 1 of Article III, so as to read "and Vacating" after the word "Annual" in the first line of said Section so that the same shall read as follows (at page 27 of *Tractary*, 1914):

**ARTICLE III.** Section 1. The date of the Annual and biennial meeting of the Society shall be payable annually or biennially on the third Tuesday of November in each year.

Mr. Bush moved that the changes in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, as read, be adopted.

The Motion was carried and carried.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

—RESOLVED, Motion Carried.

On May 3, Hon. Charles S. Cutting addressed the Society, taking for his subject "A Forgotten Incident in the Civil War." Judge Cutting dealt with the strange fate of the Eighth U. S. Infantry lost in Texas at the opening of the war. This address embodied extracts from a record book kept by the late Adolph W. Eckart, one of the survivors of the above-mentioned regiment, constituting a most graphic narrative of the terrible episode. At the close Dr. Schmidt moved that the thanks of the Society be rendered to the speaker for his exceedingly valuable paper and that he be requested to furnish a copy for publication by the Society. The motion prevailed. An audience of two hundred was present, comprising many of the new members.

On May 18, Mr. P. Orman Ray, Professor of Political Science of Northwestern University, delivered an address before the Society, entitled, "The Republican National Convention of 1860, or How Lincoln was Nominated for the Presidency." Professor Ray was listened to with close interest while he told of Chicago's preparation for the great event and of the exciting scenes of the Convention. At the close of the lecture Mr. Burley asked those to rise who had been present in the "Wigwam" when Lincoln was nominated. The following responded:

Miss Katherine D. Arnold, Clarence A. Burley, O. W. Clapp, L. B. Compland, Wm. S. Edbrooke, Gen. Joseph Elleson, John B. Fergus, C. F. Gunther, Miss Harriet Murphy, and Bartos A. Ulrich. On motion Professor Ray was requested to furnish a copy of the address for publication.

Mr. Seymour Morris then showed a series of lantern pictures connected with the Campaign of 1860. Souvenirs of the campaign of 1860, including tickets, medals, and political tokens, were exhibited.

On June 5, Mr. Morris gave his lecture entitled, "The Republican Party: Its Men and Measures," with more than two hundred lantern slides. A large and appreciative audience greeted Mr. Morris. See also SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS.

On the evening of October 23 a meeting in the interest of Liberia was held in the Society's Building. The principal address was by Mr. Walter F. Walker, Secretary of the Department of Public Instruction of the Republic of Liberia who spoke on, "Liberia: Its Educational and Political Significance to the United States." Other speakers were Professor C. H. Judd, Professor Frederick Starr, and Dr. Jenkin Lloyd Jones. Judge F. O. Brown presided.

The Librarian's Report follows.

Respectfully submitted for the Executive Committee,

SEYMOUR MORRIS, *Secretary*.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

*To the Executive Committee of the  
Chicago Historical Society*

**GREETINGS.**—I have the honor to submit my Report as Librarian of the Chicago Historical Society for the year ending October 31, 1916.

In this year when wars and rumors of wars have constantly rent the world there has been no cessation of industry and generosity on the part of the members of this Society and other good citizens of Chicago in depositing in this Library and Museum the materials of history which in time will record the progress of civilization in the Central West. The year is even somewhat notable for gifts of special collections or groups assembled by members of this Society whose time had apparently been filled entirely by commercial affairs, but who had nevertheless found time to specialize in archaeology, cartography, historic china, or pioneer industries. It seems somewhat characteristic of western civilization that two of these men had completed successful lives without the fact being generally known that they had penetrated the paths of certain special studies far enough to entitle each to be called a *master* in his field. But such were John F. Steward and Charles H. Conover.

### THE JOHN F. STEWARD COLLECTION

These collections are twofold, comprising: I. Stone Artifacts reaching back to prehistoric periods in the Mississippi Valley, and II. Early American Maps relating more particularly to routes of the French explorers in this region.

It has been impracticable to unpack Mr. Steward's Indian Relics owing to lack of suitable display cases and indeed to want of floor space, but the significance of the collection is somewhat known to scholars owing to Mr. Steward's contributions to archaeological publications and to his book entitled "The Lost Marquette and Larist Chicago." Plaster casts of certain of his specimens have found place in the collections of the Smithsonian Institution as illustrations of the workmanship of prehistoric man in this region. Gathered during the entire span of his

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long life, the collection represents the Stone Age in the Chicago region fairly well, but more completely, the Fox River Valley in Kendall County.

After several hours' examination of these maps it becomes apparent that Mr. Steward gathered the collection with one sole object, namely, to satisfy his curiosity as to the manner in which northern Illinois has been delineated by cartographers from the time of the earliest French explorers to the present, his interest centering more particularly on Chicago and on the Fox River Valley. For example, by a scholarly comparison of hundreds of maps he has reached conclusions that enable him to assign a definite location to the site of Marquette's habitation on the Chicago River in the winter of 1674-75. This he places at or near the "Portage House" shown on Rector's survey of the town of Chicago, 1822, a short distance west of the point where Lincoln Street crosses the West Fork of the South Branch. Another vital fact is brought out by these documents, namely, that the Chicago Portage and not the Calumet was unquestionably the main traveled route between the St. Lawrence and the Mississippi.

His other and more important investigations related to the "Colombie du Sr. de la Salle" comprising what is now La Salle, Will, Kendall and Cook Counties, Illinois, and the identification of its principal town "Maramech" with a beautiful spot on the Fox River near Plano, Illinois. In Mr. Steward's book are miniature reproductions of a great number of French maps of this region affording a most scholarly study of the comparative cartography of this region.

The earliest map in the collection bears the date 1579 and depicts only Hispania Nova — Southern California and Mexico. The most interesting map to us is one of the rare reproductions of Franquelin's Map of Louisiana, 1684, for that is the first map on which the name of Chicago appears. To be sure the great cartographer spelled it "Cheagou-menson" but in 1688 he put "Fort Chicago" on his new map. Some later map makers put us back into barbarism by lettering at the south end of the lake simply "Les Illinois."

Incidentally Mr. Steward's collection visualizes for us innumerable interesting facts, for example, the shifting habitats of the various tribes of Indians and in this connection one notes that the western boundary of the Six Nations passed just east of Chicago.

THE CHARLES H. CONOVER COLLECTION OF  
AMERICAN WARE

At the time of his death President and Active Manager of The Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett Company, Mr. Charles H. Conover found time to assemble an extensive library of Americana and to collect a representative group of historic Staffordshire blue and white ware, the latter being entirely confined to American subjects in its decoration, at the same time becoming a *connoisseur* in glazes and potteries.

A comparison of the one hundred and twenty-one pieces that comprise this collection with the standard catalogue emphasizes the fact that it has been culled with great discrimination from the examples of this ware most sought by collectors. In explanation of the prominent place in the furniture of the American household accorded to this china of English manufacture the following may be of interest. Not until the successful issue of the Revolution made possible the indulgence of expensive tastes, did the frugal Colonists permit themselves the luxury of this decorated ware which had been in use in England for many years. Responsive to the demands of the infant nation the manufacturers vied with one another in producing designs battering to the achievements of the victory, and obtained a vogue that lasted long after the second war with Great Britain. We are told that Washington and Franklin gave large orders for this ware, the former specifying in one of his letters "not less than six or eight dozen plates, etc."

Among the historic episodes depicted on the ninety-one plates, nine platters, and twenty-one miscellaneous pieces that make up this beautiful collection are, *The Landing of the Pilgrims*, *William Penn's Treaty*, *The President's Home*, *Perry's Victory on Lake Erie*, *McDonough's Victory on Lake Champlain*, *The Erie Canal*, *The Baltimore and Ohio Railway*, *Trans-Alleghany University*, and the *Lafayette Series*. The latter, made to commemorate the return to this country of the hero of 1776, consists of pieces bearing views of "La-Grange" the country home of LaFayette, the ship "Cadmus" sent by the Americans to escort him to America in 1824, and the landing of LaFayette at Castle Garden, thus reflecting the love of the American people for Washington's most famous aide. That this feeling increases as time goes on, is evidenced by the recent purchase by Americans of the *Château de Chavaniac-le-Lafayette*, the birthplace of

General LaFayette, near Briod, France. We are proud to note that the movement initiated by H. Cleveland Cox, former American vice-consul general at Paris, has among its supporters two members of this Society, Colonel Roosevelt and Mrs. Marshall Field.

Depicting as they do the achievements of our country these ancient plates, cups, and saucers incideate the American spirit and teach patriotism much as the old alphabet plates and maxim mugs admonished children to be learned and to be good. The rich blue in varying depth, intensified by brilliant glazes, makes the collection the point of attraction in any room where it is placed, and when it is finally installed in an antique cabinet of appropriate design it will be a fitting reminder of its original owner who doubtless inherited from his first American ancestor Gerretsen van Couvenhoven his admiration for the wonderful blue and white ware so characteristic of Holland folk. The collection is the gift of the four children of Mr. Conover, Mrs. Ralph Owen, Mrs. Eugene S. Talbot, Jr., Miss Margaret B. Conover, and Mr. Henry Boardman Conover, who felt that to divide this group, the gathering of which had been so interesting to their father, would be to destroy its historic sequence, and consequently to defeat the object with which it had been assembled.

#### THE O. L. SCHMIDT COLLECTION ILLUSTRATING PIONEER HOUSEHOLD MANNERS AND CUSTOMS

During the summer Dr. O. L. Schmidt laid the foundation for a new department in the Society's Museum, namely, that illustrating Pioneer Household Manners and Customs. This collection alone, consisting of some seventy objects gathered in the Middle West by a special collector commissioned by Dr. Schmidt, illustrates admirably the fact that a short hundred years ago the household and farm of this region had very few articles that were not of home manufacture.

One group of special historic interest comes from the ancient town of Gnadenhütten, Ohio, founded in 1771 by David Zeisberger, the Moravian missionary to the Indians who with his hundreds of "Praying Indians" constituted the furthestmost outport of civilization. In this group is the brown earthenware cup used in the Love Feast Ceremony, a copper lamp bowl and a wooden doot, all three from

the old church. As relics of this pioneer mission are now greatly in demand, the good church members have been instructed, by their pastors, not to part with their treasured relics, therefore those can be purchased only after long negotiation and at the owner's own price.

Among the articles that are a matter of curiosity to present-day house keepers are hand-woven coverlets, parlor ornaments of home manufacture, a perforated tin lantern dated 1812, a hand-wrought crane chain, a Dutch oven, candle moulds, and sausage stuffer, and perhaps rarest of all because of its perishable material, a splint broom made from a hickory limb, shaved by hand and the shavings bound down to make the brush end. The evolution of processes are here well illustrated for the children of today who are several generations removed from the primitive in American manufacture.

#### THE LEONARD A. BURBY GROUP OF HAND-MADE FARM IMPLEMENTS

Mr. Burby, at the earnest solicitation of the writer, has presented to the Society a group of hand-made farm implements consisting of a grain cradle, a flail, a flax hatchet, a scurfing knife, a corn knife, and a hay rake. These are objects of intense interest to the children of the present time and inasmuch as they illustrate processes in use in Illinois one hundred years ago will be appropriate exhibits for the Illinois Centenary in 1918. The wood of the grain cradle, flail and rake is hickory, and very simple these implements appear to the eyes of the present generation, but not so their practical operation, for only the skill that comes with long custom could in one operation cut and cradle grain leaving it in even swathes to be gathered by the binder. Still more difficult is it to so apply the ungainly flail to the heads of wheat that only they shall be broken by the flapping of its loose end which, in inexperienced hands, would inevitably beat out the brains of the follower-up or partner in this minutiae task. It is hoped that additions will be made to this group for it has excited much curiosity on the part of boys and girls to know more about pioneer industries.

#### GIFTS

Politics, postal service and social affairs form the subject of the following letter that recently found its way to the

Society's collections. The writer, it will be remembered, appointed Indian agent at Chicago in 1818, married Ellen Maria Kinzie,

Chicago, Nov. 17, 1824.

Dear Col.

Supposing from the circumstancs of your making an express all the way to Chicago that you would like to learn the news, I send you a few of our latest papers. The Postmaster at Fort Wayne refused to forward the letters and papers directed to Green Bay why I certainly do not know, but have been told that it is on account of a large balance due to him from the General Agent at the Bay, for postage of letters forwarded to them long ago. However that may be, it is a fact that neither letter nor paper came from Fort Wayne to Green Bay, &c. that you may not be entirely ignorant how the world goes, I enclose a few, from reading which, you will perhaps be surprised to find that General Jackson will, most probably, vote ahead and far ahead the, now the house of representatives, & of course will stand the best chance of being President.

Nothing new at Chicago, only that we are all going to Hardcrabbles tomorrow to eat roast goose with brandy sauce.

Madam desires her best respects to you, & requests that when you write to Mrs. M. Niel you will send her love also.

Your friend,

(Signed) Alex. Wolderr, Jr.

Col. John McNeil,  
Green Bay.

As the social register of Hardcrabbles at this time included six families all told, namely, the four Lafromboise's, Barney Laughton, and William H. Wallace, the present writer is inclined to the belief that the savory dish referred to was cooked by the wife of the last named gentleman, who was the representative of the American Fur Company at Hardcrabbles, at this period a rival settlement to the village at the "Lower Forks," the future Chicago.

Space is lacking here to mention many other important gifts reflecting interesting episodes in Chicago history that will be found listed under the head of Accessions but one of these objects casts light upon so many romances in that post-fire period, of which so little is recorded, that it cannot be omitted here. This object is a sketch in black and white entitled "The Serenade," by our special artist, and signed Palin, the gift of Mr. Jane Barnard Skinner. The sketch must have been made about 1872, for the ruins of the Chicago Historical Society's building appear at the northwest corner of Dearborn and Ontario streets, with the Griffin Block, erected after the fire at the southwest corner.

The Clarendon House, the then fashionable refuge for north-siders who had been burned out, shows in the distance at Clark and Ontario. In the Griffin Block at the corner opposite the Historical Society, was The Misses Grant's Young Ladies' Boarding School. In the foreground seated on the curbstone and serenading to the accompaniment of a harp and violin are some of "our first young men."

Mr. James C. Freeman, himself then a guest at the Clarendon House, has supplied us with the names of some of the eligible bachelors of this north side set, among whom were Fritz Foltz, architect; Sterne Harbison; William J. Cripe, a nephew of Orson Smith; Thomas Lyman Perkins; Henry W. Lehman; and J. R. Neff (the slender youth wearing eye-glasses who was the architect of Fourth Presbyterian Church with Volney C. Turner, Dr. William Hunt, S. Corning Judd, and James S. Kirk, as among the newly married men. Students at the Misses Grant's Seminary at this time were the Misses May Barnard, Mary MacDowell, Jennie King, and Adda Rumsey. Fritz Foltz, who appears in the picture, married the daughter of S. Corning Judd to the discomfiture of Mr. D. Long Palm, the artist. "Pretty May Barnard," the object of the serenade, became Mrs. Silas Whitchouse but has cherished this little souvenir of youthful romance for years.

#### LOANED GROUPS

The Society's American Indian Museum has been enriched this year by two remarkable exhibits loaned for an indefinite period, namely: I. A Collection of Aboriginal Stone Artifacts from Coles County, Illinois, owned by Mr. G. W. Walker; II. A Collection of Objects Illustrative of the Indian's Art Sense, owned by Mr. Milford G. Chandler.

Mr. Walker's collection emphasizes the fact that the workmanship of the Illinois Indians shows a high grade of development. This is the most carefully culled collection made in Illinois that the writer has seen. One group of four broad spearheads, and one small polished ax, it is said cannot be matched elsewhere. It well illustrates the standardization of aboriginal workmanship and thus is very eloquent of the civilization of the aborigines of this region.

While Mr. Chandler's collection relates to the later Indians and is not confined to Illinois, it is of surpassing interest in illustrating the classic designs of the tribes in the north

central portion of the United States worked out in porcupine quills, beads, paint, feathers, and metals. Educationally it has decided value as it contains no modern work aside from certain pieces copied exactly from the antique. Calumets made according to aboriginal ritual to represent the male and female elements in the peace ceremony, fire sticks, and ancient buckskin garments of great beauty lend distinction to this unusual collection.

### PUBLICATIONS

Two editions of the *Yearbook* for 1915 were printed owing to the demand for extra copies for the Society's membership campaign, the total being 6000 copies. Mr. John D. Haggard in paying his dues wrote: "Your *Yearbook* was exceedingly interesting to me as so many of the names of early settlers were familiar to me, having been born on the north side in 1847." Another member wrote: "Many thanks for your Annual Report. You know how glad I am of the success of your work for children."

Through its *Yearbook* the Society is able to pass on to the rising generation some of the names and somewhat of the traditions of the three generations that have had their day while a metropolis was being evolved from a military post. If the publication continues, with its list of current members made up as it is largely of names as old as Chicago, with its biographical sketches of deceased members, with names of early residents who have signed the *Historical Register* and lists of gifts reminiscent of the early times, this series will in time become a useful source of history.

The University of Chicago Press reported sales of 119 copies of the Society's various publications, the total profit accruing to the Society being \$23.82. The five heaviest sales were the following:

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| "Lincoln-Douglas Debate," by Horace White      | 4 copies  |
| "Jefferson-Lemon Compact," by M. Naul          | 16 copies |
| "Matters of the Wilderness," by C. B. Reed     | 18 copies |
| "Early Settlement at Darien," by Beagles       | 8 copies  |
| "Life of Clara and Eliza," by Edward Gay Mason | 4 copies  |

The pamphlet entitled "The Convention that Nominated Lincoln," by P. O. Ray, was printed for the Society by Rogers and Hall in an edition of 3000 during the summer but distribution was withheld until late September when

1000 copies were mailed to members and exchanges, 100 sent to Professor Ray, and the remainder turned over to the Press. This publication was particularly timely and well received, coming as it did at the time of the Republican National Convention in Chicago.

Professor J. W. Putnam's "History of the Illinois and Michigan Canal," now in the press, will be ready by April. In this work is digested a vast amount of material culled by Professor Putnam from a large number of sources largely in the collections of this Society.

To meet the constant demand for material on the aborigines of this region, the Publication Committee has been authorized to take the preliminary steps in the preparation of the work of Mr. A. F. Scharf for publication. Some years ago Mr. Scharf mapped the Indian Trails centering in Chicago and furnished a text commentary upon these maps. His studies having extended over half a century in this region furnish foundation for later history and open to the youth a vista of endless fascination. Although the expense of editing this work and reproducing the maps will be somewhat heavy this fact should no longer deter the Society from making the effort to bring out this much needed aid to historical research.

Two other manuscripts are available for publication, namely, "A Forgotten Incident of the Civil War," an address before this Society by Hon. Charles S. Cutting, and "The Indians of Illinois," by Mr. Rolfe Lindley.

The need for a short but comprehensive history of Chicago or for history leaflets on various topics is more and more apparent. A special fund to pay for either or both undertakings would at least start a search for the right person to author.

### CHILDREN'S LECTURES

The fifth annual course of Chicago History Lectures for Children of the Eighth Grade was given on Saturday afternoons during eight months of the year, Dr. O. L. Schmidt being the donor as in past years.

The attendance was as follows:

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| Visitors from schools south of Madison Street | 988  |
| Visitors from schools north of Madison Street | 739  |
| Total   | 1727 |

The delegate system appears in full in the *Yearbook* for 1913.

The average attendance, 271 for the twenty-eight lectures, is highly gratifying. The largest attendance at one lecture was 389 delegates.

The Banner School for the North Division was the WICKER PARK having 211 delegates.

The Banner School for the South Division was the WILLARD having 125 delegates.

The largest delegation from one school at a single session was 50 from the WICKER PARK SCHOOL.

If any members who contemplate withdrawing from membership because they imagine themselves "not in touch" with the Society's work, will drop in on some Saturday afternoon when the Lecture Hall is bright with little would-be historians, these members will see a practical demonstration of the *really vital work in citizenship* that is being done here, and will find intense satisfaction in helping to carry it on.

The subject of Chicago History is treated in four periods, and Mrs. M. R. Mann, the lecturer, has made the text of each of these vivid and dramatic so that each makes a distinct appeal to the youthful minds, and produces a lasting impression which the beautifully colored lantern slides help to visualize.

The topics are as follows:

|                 |                           |           |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| First Lecture.  | Period of Exploration.    | 1673-1800 |
| Second Lecture. | Period of Settlement.     | 1803-1837 |
| Third Lecture.  | Period of Expansion.      | 1837-1871 |
| Fourth Lecture. | Period of Reconstruction. | 1871-1915 |

The attraction of the Historical Museum and Portrait Gallery is always strong, particularly every object connected with war and Indians. However with a little guidance, attention is gradually diverted by the Librarian and her assistants, from the contemplation of guns, swords, and shells, to the faded blue uniforms, the battered camp utensils and the pathetic pocket diaries that are eloquent of the privations of the man in the ranks, and to the relics of Lincoln, particularly the coat and shawl worn by the most beloved President. Finally the primitive farming implements, and the simple household utensils of the pioneers receive active attention, and bloodshed is completely forgotten.

Presiding each lecture the Librarian gives a short talk on the objects of the Historical Society and the privileges of its Library and Museum which are open to school children, ending with brief comments on the good citizens, members of the Society, whose portraits adorn the walls of the Lecture Hall, and whose names have been chosen as designations for many city schools. This gives opportunity for dwelling upon the fact that *good citizenship as well as military achievement has its reward*, and upon the probability that the good history students of today will make the honored citizens of the future. *Repeated visits to the Chicago Historical Society tend surely to strengthen civic consciousness.*

A recent report of the United States Commissioner of Education comments as follows:

"The Chicago Historical Society has aided itself directly with the educational form of the city by establishing children's lectures on Chicago history."

The essay voted by the Committee to have the greatest number of points of excellence among those submitted in competition for the honor of being printed in the Yearbook, is the work of Miss Ruth Ritter, a pupil in the Eighth Grade of The Patrick Henry School. This essay is of exceptional excellence but as it comprises over 4000 words it cannot be presented at this time. This is a matter of much regret to the Committee for the work of this student is most commendable for its historical accuracy and its literary form, well illustrating the benefit accruing from these history lectures as well as the splendid work of the teachers who are doing thorough work in the Chicago Course. Eight hundred words is the prescribed length for the essays.

Another essay that deserves mention for its accuracy, its good literary form and excellent penmanship is that of Miss Mildred Dusck, of The John Spy School.

#### SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS

In connection with the Society's Museum work the following from the Report of the United States Commissioner of Education is of interest.

"About 25 are one of 20 *exhibits* in the Yated Room are devoted to History. Although they could make a strong popular appeal if greatly augmented and administered, they are unusually

inactive and neglected. There is a small group of history museums which have adopted modern and progressive methods. Among them may be mentioned the Museum of the Penn Institute at Salem, Mass., the Buffalo Historical Society, the Chicago Historical Society, and the Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society.

That historical museums will be developed to an extent heretofore not thought of in this country is indicated by the fact that equipment for this work is being brought to a high degree of perfection fostered as it is by the American Association of Museums. The reason for this is obvious, namely, that the tangible museum object stimulates in the average child or grown person an active interest which the printed page can only approximate. Aside from its direct appeal the well mounted and carefully protected museum exhibit affords a subtle object lesson to children as an expression of reverence for the past on the part of students of the older generation.

On Saturday January 8 this Society loaned to The Caxton Club for its annual meeting about forty EARLY CHICAGO IMPRINTS, together with an annotated catalogue of the same. These ranged from the first book printed in Chicago, "An Act to Incorporate the City of Chicago, March 4, 1837," to Bret Harte's "Heathen Chinee," printed by the Western News Company in 1870, and included "The Opinion of the Supreme Court of Illinois on Beaubien's Claim," "Public and General Statute Laws of the State," published by Stephen F. Gale, 1839, "The Charavari," 1843, Chicago's first political lampoon, Zebina Eastman's *Liberty Tree*, 1844; "The Horse Railway Monopoly," 1865, The poetical effusions of William Asbury Kenyon, Chicago's first poet, and a dissertation by Joseph Medill on "An Easy Method of Spelling the English Language," 1865, not to mention various pamphlets by early physicians, surgeons and dentists.

As these rare books will all appear in the Bibliography of *Special Collections in Chicago Libraries*, soon to be published, they will not be listed here.

The Society's contribution to the great LINCOLN CONVENTION brought to Chicago from the Panama-Pacific Exposition by the Illinois State-Historical Society, filled two display cases in Memorial Hall. It fell into the following groups:

Early school books of Lincoln, *F. G. Logan Collection*.  
Political Campaign medals and badges, *C. H. S. Collection*.

Portraits of Lincoln: 1 miniature, 1 woven in silk, and 3  
medallie portraits, *O. L. Schmidt Collection*.

Coat and Stock worn by Lincoln at Ford's Theatre,  
*F. G. Logan Collection*.

Mementos of the Lincoln Funeral at Chicago, May 1,  
1865, *C. H. S. Collection*.

On Washington's Birthday Mr. John Adamson's illustrated talk on "George Washington and the American Revolution" brought out an audience of 250 children, and 50 adults at ten-thirty in the morning. It was estimated that 200 additional persons visited the exhibit of the Washington relics. Beside the original Washington manuscripts and the portrait of Washington by Charles Wilson Peale, owned by the Society, Mr. John B. Foley loaned a letter from Washington written in 1756, and Mr. Günther, a portrait of Washington by Rembrandt Peale.

From May 3 to June 1 there was shown an exhibit illustrative of the **PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES IN FIVE WARS**, namely:

The Revolution, 1775-1783.  
Second War with Great Britain, 1812-1815.  
Mexican War, 1846-1848.  
Civil War, 1861-1865.  
Spanish-American, 1898.

The catalogue of the several hundred objects that comprised this exhibit is too lengthy for publication here but it is impossible to pass over without extended comment certain papers and relics loaned for the occasion that have since remained in the possession of the Society, for these will illustrate the museum method of teaching history. The largest group was that owned by Mr. George A. Brennan which filled thirty-two square feet of space. This consisted of documents which have descended to Mr. Brennan from his great-grandfather Col. Sebastian Bauman, who played an important part throughout the Revolution, being with Washington as close personal adviser in Valley Forge and other campaigns. The documents found on Major André

when he was captured that are pictured in the well-known paintings of this episode, were in the bold hand writing of Sebastian Bauman.

This Society was fortunate in being able to exhibit at the same time the military coat of Derick Morley, a Drum Major in the Continental Army, loaned by his great-grandson Mr. Frank Morley Woodruff, of the Chicago Academy of Sciences. This was of especial interest on account of its scarlet color, and inquiring visitors learned with surprise that the Continental Army Regulations prescribed this color for the Drum Major's uniform. Major Morley's bride, be it known, had spun, dyed and woven the cloth for this coat, which the young husband had supplied with gun-metal buttons of his own casting.

Another tangible link with the Revolutionary period was afforded visitors in the shape of the magnificent red coat and embroidered waist coat worn by Col. Baum, the British commander who lost his life in the Battle of Bennington. This was loaned for an indefinite period by Mrs. Daisy Wood Caswell, a great-great-granddaughter of John Wood, one of the Green Mountain Boys, to whom this trophy was awarded after the victory of the Americans at Bennington Heights. The following account of the acquisition of this British coat by an American family is written on the blank leaves at the back of a copy of Pike's Arithmetic, published at Worcester, Mass., in 1797. On one of the pages of the book is a sketch in red crayon of General John Stark, of Molly Stark fame, drawn from life by a son of this John Wood.

Dear James,

You have requested that I write an account before giving you the book and coat and waistcoat as I have promised. Those early events that my grandfather talked of so much that gave me notice Patriotic love for my country and in later years had no courage and forced me to fight bravely in the war of 1812 in as front of my nursery as they were many years ago. I calculate to give the account in the book where it will always be along with the drawing of General Stark, which is considered to be pretty accurate of him. John Wood was my grandfather, and he fought in the battle of Bennington. My father was Nathan Wood, . . . and I now will give an account of Col. Baum's death and of his red coat and waistcoat that he wore when he received his death wound just as you did for me. There was two complete battles in the battle of Bennington 1777 and Col. Baum who led the Tories and Red Coats was severely wounded in the last battle. He was carried to a house some distance over a mile from the battlefield his coat and waistcoat was taken off and cleaned with his blood and were taken off and thrown aside that his wounds might be dressed.

He was tall for all well as possible but died of almost violent humor, and his body and sarcasm were never put back on him. The weather was very hot and the sun began to burn offensively. There was another officer I have forgotten his name, who was brought to the same house and died shortly after. Col. Brown was wrapped in a shawl and the two officers were buried together. — Grandfather Wood got Col. Brown's coat and vestuary. He took out a lot of the blood and oil from and three or four days he had the coat and vestuary cleaned as well as possible but most of the stains would not come out and are still on it, so this is just as true the coat and vestuary as any family — they were grandfather's share of the war supply and he gave them to my father. Some time after we moved to Michigan grandfather went to New York state to live. A few days after Bensington battle was fought there was no place for Col. Brown's men to march. "These damned Yankees will have to fight." Notwithstanding that fact that all of grandfather Wood's people were of the English descent their were still all the Wings and always adhered to the oath of Allegiance to "Our dear old King" as it was called by some, they gallantly opposed and fought Governor Winthrop's Massassas, the Rivington Long Guards and all other things pertaining to social policy, and I know how grandfather was so that the Green Mountain boys were brave as could be found in the land. I reckon they granted their leave with a few songs after the battle of Bensington was over, but all out of bounden America. — The Col. Brown's old coat to be an inspiring object to you so bring your children up to be a credit to their town and country and to be loyal to their country at any cost. Using nothing off-coloring give them to me. Dr. James Woods to be kept by School. The dressing of John Stark page 506 made by my father Nathan Wood.

NATHAN WOOD

From June 1 to October 31 were displayed *MEMORABILIA OF PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGNS FROM 1832 TO 1912*. This exhibit was arranged out of compliment to the delegates of the National Republican Convention which convened in our city June 6. Many distinguished delegates examined these mementos during and after the Convention week but none were more interested in the relics of bygone days than Mr. A. G. Proctor, a delegate from Michigan, who had represented Kansas in the Convention of 1860.

The exhibit comprised many rare badges, buttons, and buttons that played an important part in past political campaigns. The nucleus of this was a collection covering the years from 1880 to 1912, turned by our late member, Mr. Samuel H. Kerfoot, Jr. Mr. George A. Baker of South Bend loaned a Lincoln-Hamlin hat band and a Grant-Coffey pennant. A group of campaign leaflets bearing the date 1884 was a great curiosity to suffrage leaders for it showed in a most complete manner the propaganda for "Votes for Women" of that day when Elizabeth Cady Stanton was the leading spirit of the movement.

## FIELD WORK

The concerted efforts toward the conservation of forest tracts about Chicago, the growth of walking clubs, work in the public schools and the Boy Scout Movement have awakened so much interest in Indian trails that there is very frequent inquiry as to when the Society will give to the public the results of Mr. A. F. Scharf's investigations of the "Indian Trails and Villages in the Chicago Region," namely in Cook, Du Page and Will counties. With a view to verifying and later bringing out this work, the Society in October instituted a resurvey of the trails and village sites under the guidance of Mr. Scharf and Mr. Charles L. Brown, editor of *The Wisconsin Archaeologist*, who acted as scientific expert. Mr. Brown having done much work in southern Wisconsin is conversant with Illinois conditions.

In this investigation expeditions were made to Indian village sites on the North Branch at Bowmanville and Forest Glen, on the Des Plaines at Alexander Robinson's, Kennecott Mounds, Haas Park, Riverside, Lyons, Plainfield, and Joliet; on the Lake shore at Cheltenham Beach, Wolf Lake, and Hegewisch; on the Vincennes Trail at Blue Island, in the Sag at Palos Park; and finally in the Du Page Valley near Bonaparte, Lisle and Naperville, thus completing a segment of the circle round about Chicago where natural conditions have been least interfered with. Trips to the more distant localities such as the Skokie region and the resurvey of the trails were postponed until spring.

On the estate of Mr. Joy Morton romantically situated on a branch of the Du Page near Lisle the party walked some distance in an Indian trail that after following the Des Plaines from Maywood, meanders across to the Du Page Valley and leads within a few feet of Mr. Morton's door step. From there it passes down a gentle slope to the shaded stream winding between miniature hills, disappearing around the shoulder of a larger bluff, crowned with rank on rank of Indian graves. This sheltered spot is so lovely that it could not have been other than a favorite haunt of the Red Man, and that it was so is proven by the fact that wherever the sod has been removed the ground is thickly sown with flints of superior workmanship.

From Mr. Morton's place the trail runs to what was known as Sweet's Grove, at the time when Mark Beauchamp

had his home there on the Warrenville Road, and thence to Naperville. From Indian trail to turnpike and finally to automobile road is the history of these highways, and it is fitting that their history be made available before the proofs of their antiquity have all vanished. Mr. Morton is doing much to preserve the history of his locality.

## RELATIONS

This Society continues to be one of the nine supporters of the annual bibliography known as *Buildings in American History*, issued since 1902 under the direction of Dr. J. Franklin Jameson, and for two years past published by The Yale University Press. This work has vindicated the judgment of its projector and is now an indispensable library tool.

This Society has endeavored to make known the work of the Mississippi Valley Historical Association and that to assist in enlarging the membership of this splendid organization for which need had for many years been felt in this region. The *Review* published quarterly by the Association gives publicity to the activities of the Central West in historical lines and goes far to attract scholars to this part of the country. The Association will be the guest of this Society for its Annual Meeting April 26, 27, and 28, 1917, when a program that should interest the membership of this Society will be presented. Several of our members have tendered courtesies for the entertainment of the visitors. Dr. O. L. Schmidt is chairman of the Local Committee.

On January 1, at the request of Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen a set of lantern slides was loaned to Half House Women's Club.

On January 10 a group of members of the Woman's Civic League of the First Ward held a meeting in the Society's Building and listened to a lantern talk by the Librarian on *Early Homes in Chicago*.

In May the Society cooperated with Mrs. W. J. Chalmers in assembling a set of Civil War pictures that were used in a War Song Concert.

On June 20 a number of prominent musicians and former pupils of the late William H. Sherwood unveiled a bronze bust of Mr. Sherwood with appropriate exercises.

The Board of Managers of the Illinois Society of Colonial

Dames of America held monthly meetings in the Committee Room from October to May. This Organization now subscribes for an Annual Membership in the Chicago Historical Society in the name of its President. This year the membership was in the name of Mrs. Fay Calhoun Mason.

The Kaskaskia Chapter, D. A. R. held afternoon programs and served tea in the Lecture Hall monthly, acknowledgment of the extended courtesies being made by Mrs. Mary Boone Cooper, Corresponding Secretary.

On October 11, thirty members of the Literary Society were the guests of this Society. The Librarian gave a lantern talk on "Old Homes in Chicago."

On October 25 a meeting in the interests of Libera was held in the Society's building under the auspices of Professor Frederick Starr.

### STREET NAMES

Proposed changes in certain street names during the past fall brought such prompt protest from persons in divers walks of life that it can no longer be said that Chicago is without civic consciousness. Of course this was not true at any time, but the community spirit has not always been as much in evidence here as in the older cities of more homogeneous populations.

When, in the beginning of September, too early for the majority of the members of this Society to have returned from their summer jaunts, post card notices were sent out by an organization styling itself "The Clark Street Business Men's Association," avowing as its object the extension of the name of Broadway through Clark Street from Diversey Street to the southern limits of the city, genuine alarm seemed to spread on every side, and letters and telephone messages began to pour in upon the Historical Society.

The question was so well summed up by one Chicago business man that his letter is quoted below:

September 17, 1896.

My dear Miss McIlvane:

I quite agree with you in the sentiments expressed in the *Journal* of yesterday regarding the absurd proposal to change the name of Clark Street to Broadway. Can it be that now of the possessives locality of those named as at the head of the association advocating this change are so lacking in imagination, a sense of the fitness of things and in local patriotism as to desire that the celebrated (proposed) Broadway be ranked to a prominent Chicago thoroughfare? I am confident there

are more than 1,000 groups in Chicago who would actively join the agitation even at the risk of supporting the socialist and anarchist movement. Let Broadway (N.Y. and C.) remain what it is — just have distilled or — "the cheapo barge" of America's most popular crop. Let those who could wait at the Hudson River find Broadway less and less Chicago goes on a course of cost reduction interests and work — such as you have suggested — the Great Bay Road, a bridge across.

Is Chicago forever to be at the mercy of wills of the Philistines and the boozers? Is it never to develop a background which may save the future historian or document at a remote time which to prove the present or future with more intelligent light of the past? Is this city through the generations known to be only an industrial hell, with only smoke and fire, trade amalgamations, stockpiles, ill government, inadequate communication and kindred vices and delinquencies to characterize it?

The increasing of a street may seem to "practical" and increasing roads, an unnecessary luxury but those who would advance the long-distance adoption of "Broadway" for Clark Street are not with every other retrogressive factor in this community.

If we are determined to become from New York, at all "small town" like some between Rahway, N. J., and Passaic Park, New Jersey with Michigan Avenue, running at Harrison Street, Wabash Avenue, The Boulevards, State Street, Avenue A — an imitation of Manhattan.

It is high time someone was opposing *The Inquiry for the Protection of American Assets for 1910*. It is needed in Chicago. And not only in Chicago but elsewhere — in fact wherever the same type of American may be found.

Very truly yours,

Ray O. Randall.

When the agitation for the change had quite subsided someone wrote to *The Tribune* stating that Clark Street had been so named after a Methodist drygeman. Asked to reply to this the present writer contributed the following:

October 22, 1910.

#### Voice of the People

Referring to a letter published last Friday in this column, stating that Clark Street was named for a Methodist drygeman of that name, it should be said that Chicago before it had the benefit of Survey and when a vast tract of Forest Reserve was ceded her entire young population, gave the name of its great American and one Tiernan to her principal thoroughfare. This happened in 1830 when the Land Commissioners filed a plat of the village on August 4th when upon the north and south streets were signed as follows: Dearborn, Clark, LaSalle, Wells, Franklin, Market, Canal, Clinton, Jefferson.

The Land Commissioners in 1830 were Jacob Jacob, of Germantown, Edward Bishop, of Keweenaw, and Charles Davis, of Illinois. What more natural than that Edward Bishop, himself a man of prominence throughout the state, should have selected the name of

the famous Canadian General George Rogers Clark, the Revolutionary hero of Illinois for the name of an honorary street. Has James H. Edwards a son of the above and a member of the Society may be able to corroborate this.

It should be noted that on the original canal plot as well as on the early maps of Chicago the name is spelled "Clark," following the early books of the day. The error arose from the fact that George Rogers Clark's monogram ended with a flourish that made so perfect an "e" that it was adopted as such. A contemporary copy of the original canal plot may be seen at the Historical Society as well as the compass with which the three-eighthundred square mile was surveyed by James Thompson of St. Louis in 1829 and 1830.

The honor of having a great Chicago street named for him is perhaps the greatest honor that the man who saved the Old Northwest from the British in 1778 will ever get. Let us never any confusion rob him of this nor deprive Chicago school children of the stimulus that such a name gives to interest in history.

From September 25 to November 11 war was waged to extend the name of Fifth Avenue throughout the length of Wells Street, petitions being circulated and an Ordinance presented in the City Council proposing the change. Again the advocates of the early land marks became active. Mr. Burley wrote letters to the newspapers and appeared before a Committee of the Council with the result that an ordinance was passed providing that the name of Wells Street be restored throughout the length of the thoroughfare now called "Fifth Avenue," the change to take effect January 1, 1918. There is need that steps be taken to hold the advantage gained.

Under the caption "Tampering with Street Names?" *The Evening Post*, early in the controversy, pronounced editorially upon the practice of stupid alteration and the alternative of scientific revision, thus:

It is good news that the stupid persons who proposed to rename Clark Street "Brownsburg" have desisted in their attempt. Almost on the eve of the centennial year of Illinois' Statehood it was proposed to eliminate from one of our historic thoroughfares the name of the man but for whom Illinois would have remained the possession of an alien power at least a generation longer.

Another example of this foolishness was shown when under pressure the South Park Commissioners decided "Grand Avenue" for "South Shore Drive." Grand Avenue, when it was first laid out by the village of Hyde Park, was the first winter road of the lake. It was named for Madracis Head, the poor governor of Illinois. The most stupid street was named for Edward C. Cole, the second governor, and includes several other also named for the governors of the state. The continuity is now broken, and nothing has been gained by confusion, for the streets run at South Shore Drive a South Shore Avenue.

*This society has been a long time in need of a name. It was accomplished accidentally, and is indeed a name of course in the society. There does not much longer for many years.*

The revision referred to relates to the Joint Committee composed of representatives of the Association of Clergymen, and members of this Society who under the chairmanship of Mr. E. P. Brennan secured the adoption of certain street names two years ago.

The loss of local color, even of romance, by the wiping out of old names, is very great as is aptly illustrated by the following. It was not unusual for an owner of extensive blocks of real estate to christen streets with the given names of members of their own families, so that when Richard J. Hamilton and Hiram Pearson laid out the town of Canalport at the eastern terminus of the Illinois and Michigan Canal their admiring townsmen accepted the names of Ann and Paulina, daughters of Alura Hubbard, with pleasure. Ann afterward became the wife of her cousin Gordon S. Hubbard while Paulina married Roland Tinkham. Hamilton Street was so named by Mr. Hamilton for himself when he laid out Hamilton's Subdivision, and Pearson Street is said to have been named for Hiram Pearson. Butterfield Street was so named for Justin Butterfield and Elizabeth Street for beautiful Elizabeth Butterfield, the belle of three metropolises, later the wife of Dr. Sidney Sawyer. And so we might go on piecing together family history from street nomenclature if only the original names might be held sacred from the despising hand of the standardizer.

It is possible that we should extend "scientific selection" of names beyond street naming and assist the Board of Education to find names for schools of sufficiently permanent significance to deserve to survive.

#### ATTENDANCE

The total attendance recorded exclusive of attendance at special functions was 5058, divided as follows:

| Visitors | Readers | Total |
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| 4953     | 705     | 5658  |

The attendance at the Saturday afternoon lectures for children is reported under the head of CHILDREN'S LECTURE COURSES.

Applications signed for books record 1150 volumes specifically called for. This figure by no means represents the use made of the Library, for in the case of newspapers and collections of manuscripts a student will frequently have certain volumes reserved for his use for a month or more, for which only one application is filed. Telephone inquiries are not recorded.

The following notable visitors and early residents have signed the VISITORS' REGISTER:

Bangs, J. Edward, native of Illinois. Grandfather and great-grandfather both in Berlin, Lexington.

Berg, William David, grandson of Janet P. Dixon, son of John Dixon who came to Illinois in 1820 and settled on Rock River in 1830 where the city of Dixon stands.

Bick, Marshall, Major, U. S., born in Putnam Co., N. Y., 1847.

Black Hawk, John, Black River Falls, Wis.

Bois, Adonis, great-grandson of William Wadsworth, proprietor of "Wad's Tavern," who came to Chicago in the early thirties.

Broughall, Henry F., LaSalle, Illinois, Indian Missionary.

Bump, George Jacob, Lockport, Ill., came to Chicago in 1834, fought many of the Indians and rode down the Plainfield Trail to Homer T. P., see 15.

Castillo, Charles M., Ponce, P. R., born in Porto Rico in 1893 and came to America in 1916.

Chapp, O. W., born Dec., 1836. First saw Chicago in 1845 when city had 1,298 people.

Conner, Mrs. Henry M., daughter of Levi Day Boone, who came to Chicago in 1836.

Coupland, L. B., "Iron Brigade," Army of the Potomac.

Eddy, Alice Marshall, Shownertown, Ill., granddaughter of Henry Eddy and great granddaughter of John Marshall.

Franzberger, G., born 1848 at Ohio & Clark streets.

Frost, Mrs. Clark, came to Chicago in 1855.

Gentry, Eva W., Mansfield, Ohio, great great granddaughter of Captain William Wells for whom Wells Street is named.

Gray, A. W., born in Green-Tree Tavern, Lake and Water Streets, 1849.

Gremmer, Richard T., grandson of Rich. W. Gremmer, writer with Garrison and Lundy 1827-38.

Grossinger, Edwin, Carlisle, Pa. (Indian School).

Haddock, Mrs. B. Franklin, Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Haddock born in Chicago 1849, son of B. F. Haddock.

Hadley, James Marshall, came to dear old Chicago to piano lessons from Marshall County, Ill., in the year 1845.

Herrick, John J., Chicago.

Huggins, Lavinia, daughter of Michael Ryan, one of the High School girls who marched in Lincoln's funeral procession, born corner of Cass and Kinzie streets, 1847.

Hughes, P., came to Chicago, July, 1860.

Hoyme, Thomas M., Chicago.

Jugello, G. C., Jugello, Kay, great-grandson of Thomas O'Farrell, grandson of Michael O'Farrell.

Jones, B. J. D., Wright, Gen. T. S. Avery, national.

Jackson, Charles F., came to Illinois 1846, to Chicago 1850. "Taylor's Directory."

Kilbidge, Richard J., of New York City, wrote "Wonderful."

Kirk, Charles E., born Chicago, June 9, 1850.

Massey, Edgar L., Chicago.

McCormick, Robert R., Jr., grandson of Lauder J. McCormick, who came to Chicago in 1848.

McKee, Joseph A., raised sons for President Lincoln.

Nelson, Capt. J. C., April 26, 1816, anniversary of battle-winning experience at W. Virginias. Uniform at 200 in South room.

Parkin, Elmer Keeler, Central, Forest Park, Orange, N. J. Great-grandson of John Keeler.

Pick, Mrs. Bremner, Chicago.

Perry, Miss, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

Platt, John B., born in Chicago, June 25, 1849.

Prout, A. A., at Juarez, Mexico. Delicate from Kansas in 1860. Convalesced there, summered in Laramie, and to St. N. C. 1868.

Ridgway, Wilma, Chicago, great-granddaughter of Henry Eddy, great-great granddaughter of John Marshall, and granddaughter of Thomas S. Ridgway, all of Pennsylvania.

Schaeffer, Ferdinand, came to Chicago in spring of 1860, and settled on Blue Island.

Shattuck, John, Indian Reservation, Madison, Wis., son of Micawber (Clemens) Shattuck, daughter of Shattuck, grandson of Capt. Shattuck. Signed his name-mark on map of various regions.

Simpson, J. B., Clinton, D., James M. Simpson (grandfather), removed from Kentucky to Washington Co in 1838 and to Randolph Co. 1840 and Franklin in 1846, where he died in 1848. Elmer D. Simpson (father) came with the family and died in 1874.

Simpson, P. C., Rockford, Ill.

Stevenson, W. V., "H. C. 17th Ill. Volunteers. War in the Rockies of Colorado, Dismal and Fort Henry."

Sweat, Frank Womeworth, River Forest, Ill.

Tanner, Mrs. Leonard, Chicago.

Taylor, W. H., Chicago.

Thompson, C. Sennett, Washington, D. C.

Trotter, Edward H., Evansville, Ind.

Ulrich, J. L., Hinsdale, Ill.

Vidmar, Louis, Chicago. Son Pedro de Marca, R. D., Vidmar University student. Came to America c. 1847.

Wall, Horatio L., son of the U. S. Navy. Our Navigator.

Ward, W. H., Ann Arbor, Mich., son of Nelson and Mary Catherina Ward, who came to Illinois about 1845 from Portsmouth, Ohio, settling near Frankfort, Ill.

Walker, Charles C., Boston, Mass., grandson of Charles Walker and of Silas D. Colby. Born May 28, 1871, at 1834 Michigan Ave., Chicago.

Walker, Walter F., Minnesota. Editor W. C. Africa Bureau of Public Information.

Ward, Eliza J., Ontario, Ill. "This is certainly one of the most interesting libraries I have ever had the pleasure of visiting."

Ward, Mrs. Mary L., River Forest, Father's name Joseph Kelling who came to Illinois in 1839, settled in Chicago, May, 1841.

Walters, G. W., member of C. F. D., 1874. Born in Chicago, 1842.

Westover, J. Henry, came to Chicago in February, 1827.

White, George W., born 1840 in N. Y., came to Chicago, 1866.

Wunderfield, Myra Eddy, Shawneetown, Ill., granddaughter of Henry Eddy and great granddaughter of John Marshall.

Yates, Frank E., member original "Chicago Zouaves," commanded by Col. L. L. Ellsworth.

#### SCHOOLS

Arnold School, Ralph P. Hallen and 6 pupils.

Bannock School, Helen L. Barwick and 42 pupils.

Burke School, Anna Kelly and 60 pupils.

Chicago Latin School for Girls, 40 girls.

Farragut School, Adela M. Strain and 19 pupils.

Farragut School, Adele V. McDermott and 24 pupils.

Farragut School, Mary E. Dannehy and 17 pupils.

Farragut School, Adela L. Garick and 21 pupils.

Graduate School, Anna F. Wise and 12 pupils.

Judson School, Anna M. Lyman and 37 pupils.

Marshall High School, Harry M. Clem and 110 pupils.

McKinley High School, William Marion Sayer and 32 pupils.

Parker School, Herman L. Lukens and 8 pupils.

Ray School, A. O. Ray, and 45 pupils.

Ray School, A. O. Ray, and 37 pupils.

#### OTHER GROUPS

Mrs. J. T. Montgomery with study group interested in United States History.

Boy Scouts (10), S. P. Walsh, Scout Master.

Chicago Literary Society — 28 members.

## THE CATALOGUES

The total number of cards in the General Catalogue is 25586. This includes special lists of Newspapers, Maps, Atlases, Genealogies, etc. The special Catalogue of Maps now contains 2587 entries. Other special finding lists are Portraits 10,115 entries, Illinois Views 2695, and Negatives and Lantern Slides 400 entries. Check lists have been made of all Illinois Laws and Legislative publications as well as of county histories and atlases.

A good beginning has been made at cataloguing accessions accumulated since 1910 and all new accessions received for the past year have been catalogued at the time of accessioning. The latter entries have not been revised and so are not included in the above figures.

The organization of a cataloguing department with trained assistants now having become a possibility the Report next year will no doubt show substantial progress made. The Librarian has been authorized to subscribe for the Library of Congress cards for Illinois and these will save much work. Few people stop to think that a catalogue entry once made is made for all time. It must be correct, for it is impossible to recall it when once published. It will serve to mislead hundreds of readers according as it is correct or erroneous.

### THE PORTRAIT FILES

The labeling, arrangement, and filing of the three great collections of photographs of Chicago citizens, namely, the Mosher Collection, the Calumet Club Old Settlers, and the J. M. Johnson Collection, aggregating over 6000 photographs, was no small task. With the exception of the Calumet Club portraits, which are framed in massive carved oak frames specially made for them, the photographs are alphabetically filed in steel cabinets provided with guides, and so are completely accessible. It is planned to have a card in this file referring to the location of every portrait in the building, whether oil painting or daguerreotype, which because of its size or framing cannot be placed in the filing case. Portraits of early citizens form so important a part of the Society's collections that it is a great convenience to have them readily accessible.

Portraits have been obtained of nearly all of the members of the Society who have died during the year. If it were possible to secure the portraits of all of the present and future members of this Society these would continue the historic collection and become a valuable asset.

### REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

A piece of work of more than ordinary interest in this department was the placing of "The Wan-ban-ic Stone" in the Main Hall and the transforming of this unique relic into a drinking fountain for the benefit of the hundreds of school children who weekly make pilgrimages of many miles to hear the lectures on Chicago history. This granite boulder weighing somewhat more than a ton was a well-

known land mark, being part of the fountain formed of five reliefs which until last year graced the side yard of the late Isaac N. Arnold's residence on Pine Street (alias Lincoln Parkway, alias North Michigan Avenue). It is said that Mr. Arnold, President of this Society from 1876-81, with true historic instinct, brought the boulder from the parade ground of Fort Dearborn sometime during the sixties and treasured it because of its association with the celebrated Indian chief Waubansie whose face is skillfully carved on one of its rugged surfaces. The sculptor was reputed, among old citizens, to have been a soldier in the Fort, but archeologists who have examined it say the face has a decided resemblance to Aztec art. However that may be, a depression at the top some eight inches in depth and a foot in diameter and which was utilized as the basin of the fountain, has every appearance of having been originally an Indian mortar or mill. This it may be imagined is altogether a highly diverting drinking fountain to school children and serves to pique curiosity as to its historic origin.

Since the repairs to the foundation of the building in 1915 few extensive repairs have been necessary. The principal undertakings were the redecorating of the Committee Room, ante rooms, Stickney Room, and the kitchen. Certain parts of the outer walls of the building that had suffered by weathering were tuckpointed and a new cement floor laid in the balcony over the entrance. Steam fittings, down spout, and gutters have also been repaired. Under the supervision of Mr. R. E. Schmidt the sky-light was again repaired. The latter needs attention each spring owing to breakage caused by varying temperatures.

Steel filing cases to contain the extensive collections of photographic portraits were installed last fall and a steel cabinet of twelve sections was added to the equipment for taking care of membership lists.

Before more new paper files can be installed it will be necessary to make certain alterations in the rooms on the third floor of the building. Unless the provision for new shelving keeps pace with the accumulation of newspapers, these valuable acquisitions become a menace to the orderly arrangement of the library and are themselves useless because inaccessible.

The numerous and valuable museum objects that have come to the Society during the past year added to those

accumulated in the past sixteen years have filled every square foot of display space in the building and at least a half as many again are stored for lack of wall and floor space. This tends to discourage future gifts and prevents logical and attractive arrangement of much that is now in exhibition.

*To further develop the educational possibilities of the historical museum an addition to the present building is needed.*

### ACCESSIONS

At the end of the fiscal year, October 31, 1916, the number of volumes in the Library was 25,037, pamphlets 8095, manuscripts 25,716. The entire number of maps, photographs, prints, and museum objects cannot be given accurately until classification is further advanced.

The additions to the Library and Museum by gift and purchase entered in the Accession Record since November, 1915, are as follows:

|                |          |
|----------------|----------|
| Manuscripts    | 216      |
| Volumes        | 339      |
| Pamphlets      | 202      |
| Maps           | 261      |
| Museum Objects | 129      |
| <br>Total      | <br>1147 |

There were no large purchases during the year, the total amount expended being \$884.87.

The classified list of accessions that follows, while not exhaustive, will serve to indicate the various departments in the Society's chosen field that have been strengthened through the generosity of its friends. The complete list of donors follows at the end of the Report.

### MANUSCRIPTS

Letter of Ninian Edwards, Governor of Illinois Territory 1809-1818, State Governor 1826 to 1830, to Rev. John Mason Pick, dated Belleville, 1 August, 1829. The gift of Mr. Joseph Litter.

Note: Edict to Henry Clay's candidacy for the presidency

Records of the Old Tippecanoe Club, Chicago, 1846-1903. *Manuscript.* The gift of Mr. H. H. GARBER.

The Horatio G. Spafford Papers, 1846-1871.

*Note:* The above consisting of documents, letters and business cards covering a quarter of century of business life in Chicago, makes about the only tangible evidence of the existence of a brilliant lawyer and exemplary citizen. Aside from a line in *Antarctic History* noting that Mr. Spafford was Professor of Medical Jurisprudence in Chicago Medical College 1859-61, the writer has no record of him. Some few old citizens still recall that Mr. Spafford's four children were among the many lost in the disaster of the ship "Ville de Havre."

"The Naming of the 'Susquejohn', Reminiscences," by Edward P. DeWolf, Waukegan, Ill., 1916. *Typewritten Manuscript.* The gift of the AUTHOR.

*Note:* The episode here described occurred in 1856. The "Susquejohn" was identical with the less romantic Ten Mile Creek, but Mr. DeWolf paints a vivid and charming picture of the time when the little stream, that was later widened to form the lagoons in Lincoln Park, was a limpid rivulet flowing through a banky dell carpeted with violets and wild strawberries.

"The House of David," by Henry E. Hamilton. *Manuscript.* The gift of the AUTHOR.

*Note:* The above contains an account of the well-known Dr. William B. Egan and his associates who in their leisure hours gathered at the old Tremont House "known before the War as the House of David."

Letter from E. S. Welsh to his brother Milton Welsh, dated Monmouth, Ill., Friday, September 19, 1841. The gift of Mr. JAMES M. PIATT.

*Note:* Relates to the peculiarities of the Illinois people and refers to the incoming Mormon settlers at Navas.

"Joseph Medill and the Chicago Tribune," by Wyatt Rutherford. *Typewritten manuscript.* The gift of Mr. WYATT RUTHERFORD.

"Joseph Medill: an editor of the old school," by Kathryn Maddock [Urbana, Ill.] 1916.

First plan publicly issued as a design for the very tall buildings in the U. S.; plan made by Frederic Baumann, Chicago. Gift of Mr. BAUMANN.

*Note:* Above plan is one of three issued by the Home Insurance Company in 1894.

## LIBRARY ACCESSIONS

## CHICAGO INTERESTS

*Speech of David Dudley Field, at the Chicago Convention, as published in the *Democratic Review*, for September, 1847.* New York, 1847. The gift of WILLIAM D. BARGE.

*Note.* This was the only speech on the Democratic side of the Controversial question involved in the great River and Harbor Convention and was suppressed in the published reports.

"The Restoration: a metrical romance of Canada," by Capt. L. J. Norton. Chicago: Published in the *Argus Office*, 1851.

"Chicago Bank Note List . . . July 15, 1852; Oct. 15, 1862; June 1, 1863." The gift of MR. FERDINAND SCHAPPER.

"Grand Gala Days at the Chicago Mechanics Institute Fair, September 15, 16, 1858, at Chicago. Agricultural Department." *Broadside*. The gift of MR. FERDINAND SCHAPPER.

"Annual Report of Chicago Reform School":

- 3, 1857-58. Chicago: *Daily Democratic Steam Print*.
- 4, 1858-59. Chicago: *Press and Tribune Steam Print*.
- 5, 1859-60. Chicago: *S. R. Rounds' Steam Print*.
- 7, 1862-63. Chicago: *S. R. Rounds' Steam Print*.
- 11, 1866-67. Chicago: *Rounds' 12 James, Bk. 12 Job Printer*.
- 12, 1867-68. Chicago: *Rounds' 12 James, Bk. 12 Job Printer*.

The Chicago Steam Engine Works, corner of Polk and Beach Streets, Chicago, Illinois. Hand Bill, 1862. Gift of MR. WELLS SITES.

Civil War Songs. *Two Portfolios of sheet music.*

*Note.* One of Portfolio No. 1 "Laura Lee," One of No. 2, "C. W. McClint."

"Chicago Bank Note List . . . July 15, 1862; Oct. 15, 1862, June 1, 1863, Nov. 16, 1863." Chicago: *F. Granger Adams*. MR. FERDINAND SCHAPPER.

"Proceedings of the National Ship-Canal Convention held at Chicago, July 2 and 3, 1863." Chicago: *Tribune Office*, 1863. The gift of WILLIAM D. BARGE.

*The Little Corporal*, Chicago: Alfred L. Sewell, pub. Vol. 1 to 5, July, 1865, to Dec., 1867.

*Note:* A child's periodical designed to promote patriotism.

"Intramural Internments in Populous Cities," by John H. Rauch, M.D., Chicago, *Tribune Company*, 1866. The gift of THE JOHN CRERAR LIBRARY.

"Manual of the First Presbyterian Church of Chicago, with historical sketch and catalogue, January 1, 1867," Chicago: *Munson, Skinner & Clarke*, 1867. MR. FERDINAND SCHAPPER.

"Crosby Opera House, Testimonial to the 'Old Yankee,' Saturday, February 12, 1870." *Handbill framed.* The gift of DR. O. L. SCHMIDT.

"Full Account of the Great Fire and New Business Directory of Leading Houses," Chicago *North-Western Publishing Company*, n.d. The gift of MR. LEWIS A. WEYBURN.

*The Chicago Magazine of Fashion, Music and Home Reading*, November-December, by Mrs. M. E. Hayne, Editor and Proprietor. Chicago: *R. R. Donnelley, The Lake-side Press*, 1871. The gift of MR. LEWIS A. WEYBURN.

"A Norwegian-Danish grammar and reader, with a vocabulary; designed for American students of the Norwegian-Danish language," by C. J. P. Peterson. Chicago: *S. C. Griggs & Co.*, 1872.

"Genius of Shakespeare, Tercentenary Oration, April, 1864." Written by Elias Colbert. Chicago: *Western British American Printers*, 1916. Gift of PROF. ELIAS COLBERT, Chicago.

*Note:* The above oration pronounced in Bryan Hall, by Lydia Evans, a professional orator, fifty-two years ago, at the Tercentenary of Shakespeare's birth, was written by Professor Colbert, then my editor of *The Chicago Tribune*, between the hours of midnight and three o'clock April 21, 1864, the gentleman who was to have performed the task having disappointed the committee.

## CHICAGO MISCCELLANY

"Catalogue of Daybreak Seminary, Wabash Avenue, Chicago, 1875." The gift of Mr. FERNAND SCHAFER.

"A History of the University of Chicago," by Thomas Wakefield Goodspeed (Chicago: University of Chicago Press [c. 1910]). Gift of THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, adopted by the City of Chicago, April 23, 1875. Printed by order of the City Council.

"New England in Chicago", Appendix to Vol. II of "A History of New England, etc." Edited by Rev. R. H. Howard, and Prof. Henry E. Crocker (Boston: Cushing & Co., 1881).

"The Present and Future Prospects of Chicago" by Henry Brown. Chicago: Fergus Printing Co., 1876.

Civil War Songs. *10 pieces of sheet music published at Chicago.* The gift of Miss SARAH E. MARSH.

Note: Among the above are George F. Root's *Just Before the Battle*, and *Homecoming* by J. M. Hubbard who sang in the 24th with the Lushbells.

"History of the 24th Illinois Volunteer Infantry Regiment, Old Hecker Regiment," by Dr. William Wagner (Chicago, August, 1864). Gift of the 24TH ILLINOIS VOLUNTEER INFANTRY REGIMENT.

"Reminiscences of Chicago During the Great Fire, with an Introduction by Mabel Melville," Chicago: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Company, 1915. The gift of Mr. THOMAS E. DONNELLEY.

Chicago: A Map of the Burned District, *Times Extra*, October 10, 1871; *The Chicago Evening Post*, October 13, 1871. The gift of Mrs. G. W. Peters (Antoinette Raggio), Los Angeles, Calif.

"Lake-side Annual Directory of the City of Chicago, 1913," Reuben H. Donnelley, Compiler, Chicago: *The Chicago Directory Company*, 1913. The gift of Mr. T. E. DONNELLEY.

"The Ryerson Genealogy and History of the Knickerbocker Families of Ryerson," by Alfred Winslow Ryerson, edited by Alfred L. Holman. *Privately printed for Edward L. Ryerson*, Chicago, 1916. Gift of EDWARD L. RYERSON.

"Catalogue of Memorial Historical Photographs of Prominent Men and Women and souvenirs for the second Centennial, 1916," by Charles D. Mosher. Chicago: [Chicago Legal News], 1883.

"Eugene Field, a study in Heredity and Contradictions," by Saxon Thompson. New York: 1901.

"H. H. Porter: A Short Autobiography Written for His Children and Grandchildren." Chicago: *Privately Printed*, 1915. The gift of MR. H. H. PORTER, JR.

"A Group of Distinguished Physicians and Surgeons of Chicago," Compiled by F. M. Speer. Chicago: *J. H. Beers & Co.*, 1904. The gift of MRS. ELLA FLAGG YOUNG.

"Sketches and Notices of the Chicago Bar; including the more prominent lawyers and judges of the city and suburban towns," by F. B. Wilkie. 4th edition. Chicago: *The Western News Company*, 1872. MR. HENRY E. HAMILTON.

"The Mercantile Agency Reference Book, Containing Ratings of the Merchants, Manufacturers and Traders Generally, Throughout the Western States, January, 1870." Chicago: *R. G. Davis & Co.*, 1871. The gift of MR. LEWIS A. WYNNERS.

"Twenty-fifth (and final) Yearbook of the Twentieth Century Club of Chicago, 1915." Chicago: *Printed for Frederick C. Brown*, 1916. Gift of MR. WILLIAM MORTON PAYNE.

"Constitution, Officers, List of Members, and Meetings, of the Twentieth Century Club, Chicago, for the years 1889 to 1915 inclusive." Chicago. 4 vols. The gift of MR. WILLIAM MORTON PAYNE.

"Annals of the Chicago Woman's Club for the First Forty Years of Its Organization, 1870-1910." Compiled by Henriette Greenbaum Frank and Amalie Holst Jerome. Chicago: *Chicago Woman's Club*, 1916. Gift of The Chicago Woman's Club.

"Municipal Flags," prepared under the direction of Alderman James A. Kearne, Chairman Chicago Municipal Flag Commission, Chicago: *Accordant Printing Co.*, 1915. The gift of MR. C. A. BURLEY.

Note: Mr. Burley represents the Historical Society in this Committee.

Three Tickets for Republican Mass Meeting for Hughes and Fairbanks, held in the Coliseum, Chicago, Tuesday, August 8, 1916. Gift of MR. SEYMOUR MORRIS.

*The Republican*, Vol. I, Nos. 1 to 32, and 34, Chicago, 1916. Gift of MR. WALTER F. ROHM.

*The Chicago Evening Post*, 1892 to 1917. The gift of MR. J. C. SHAFFER.

"Story of the Christmas Ship," by Lilian Bell. *Rand McNally & Company*, Chicago, 1915. The gift of the AUTHOR.

"The Well in the Woods," by Bert Leeton Taylor, Indianapolis, 1904. The gift of the AUTHOR.

#### ILLINOIS

"Letters from Illinois," by Morris Birkbeck, Philadelphia, 1818. Gift of MR. CHARLES A. BROWN.

Plat of the United States Road from Detroit to Chicago, as surveyed and Marked by James McClosky, Jonah Baldwin and Laurent Birochee, Commissioners. Copied by John Farmer, 1825. Gift of A. F. KNOTT.

"The Totem of Black Hawk: A Tale of Pioneer Days in Northwestern Illinois and the Black Hawk War," by Everett McNeil. Chicago: *J. C. McClurg & Co.*, 1914. The gift of MR. OGDEN McCURD.

"Letter to a Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church — Bishop Chase." Peoria: *Register Office*, 1843.

"Bishop Chase's address delivered before the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, Springfield, Ill., June 16, 1845." St. Louis: *Daniel Durey*, 1845.

"A Narrative of the Events Connected with Election of an Assistant Bishop for Illinois," by a Presbyter of the Diocese. *Jubilee College: Jubilee Press*, 1848.

"Rock Island and Its Surroundings, in 1853," Rock Island, 1854. Gift of MR. WILLIAM D. BARGE.

"Historical Review of Belleville, Illinois, from Early Times to the Present . . .," by G. A. Harvey, Belleville, 1870. Gift of MR. WILLIAM D. BARGE.

"Geography, History and Civics of Woodford County, Illinois," ed. by Roy L. Moore, n.p. n.d.

"History of Dixon and Lee County: A Retrospective Sketch of the Past, Birdseye View of the Present, and a Glimpse at the Future," Dixon, Ill., 1870. Gift of MR. WILLIAM D. BARGE.

"First Annual Report of the Public Schools of Dixon, Including a History of the Same from Their Earliest Settlement," Dixon, Ill., 1871. Gift of MR. WILLIAM D. BARGE.

"History of Decatur, Ill., its Resources, Advantages for Business, and Attractions as a Home . . .," Compiled and published by Wiggins & Co., Cleveland, Ohio, Decatur 1871. Gift of MR. WILLIAM D. BARGE.

"Early Surveyors and Surveying in Illinois," by Z. A. Enos. Springfield, Ill., 1891. The gift of WILLIAM D. BARGE.

*Note.* Contains a table of a survey by Lincoln

"Art Work of the Rock River Valley" [historical notes by Joseph Newton]. Oskosh, Wisconsin: *Art Photography Co.*, 1904. Limited edition. Gift of W. D. BARGE.

*Note.* This is perhaps the first work yet published illustrating Illinois scenery. The title is a misnomer as the work is partly historical and photographic.

"The Riverside-Brookfield Community Historical Pageant by Students in the Riverside-Brookfield High School given at Riverside, Illinois, May 27, 1916." Gift of Miss CATHERINE E. MITCHELL.

"Pageant of Palos presented by the People of Palos Township, Saturday Afternoon, September 16, 1916, at

Palos Park, Illinois, under the auspices of Palos Park Improvement Club." 4 vols. Gift of PALOS PARK IMPROVEMENT CLUB.

"Transactions of the Illinois State Historical Society for the year 1914." [Springfield, Illinois, 1915]. Gift of ILLINOIS STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

"First Illinois Cavalryman," published by First Illinois Cavalryman, Brownsville District, Brownsville, Texas, issued weekly in the field. Colonel Milton J. Foreman, publisher. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-10. Gift of COLONEL MILTON J. FOREMAN.

#### LINCOLNIANA

"Personal Recollections of Abraham Lincoln," by Henry B. Rankin, New York, 1916. Gift of the AUTHOR.

"I. Our First American, Abraham Lincoln. . . . II. The Lincoln Life-Mask with some Comments and Corrections on Leonard W. Volk's Century Magazine Article," two articles by Henry B. Rankin, Springfield, Ill. Gift of the AUTHOR.

"The Religion of Abraham Lincoln: Being a Reprint of the Lecture of Rev. James A. Reed in 1874, and the Answering Lecture of W. H. Herndon in 1875." Privately Printed, 1913. The gift of Mr. JUDY STEWART.

"Wide-Awake Vocalist, Rail-Splitters' Song Book, Words and Music for the Republican Campaign of 1860, Embracing a Great Variety of Songs, Solos, Duets, and Choruses, Arranged for Piano or Melodion. . . ." New York: Published by J. A. Dafford, 1860. The gift of Col. CHARLES E. VACCORS.

"Booth Wanted to Kill Lincoln in 1865," by Charles V. L. Starnett. (Excerpt from *Chicago Daily News*, Feb. 12, 1916.) Gift of Mr. C. V. L. STARNETT.

"Chicago Tribune, Sunday, April 13, 1865." Gift of Mr. FRANK G. LOGAN.

"Address of Hon. James B. Sheffield at Lincoln Dinner of the Republican Club of the City of New York, Waldorf-Astoria, Feb. 17, 1916." The gift of Mr. JUDY STEWART.

"The Grand Army Hall and Memorial Association Lincoln Birthday Service in Memorial Hall, on Wednesday, February Twelfth, Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen," address by Hon. Frederick A. Smith. Gift of Gen. Walter R. ROBBINS.

"Lincoln's Birthday Service, Address by Harry Pratt Judson. . . . Address by Mrs. Jessie Palmer Weber, Chicago, Memorial Hall, Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916. The Grand Army Hall and Memorial Association of Illinois. Gift of Gen. W. R. ROBBINS.

#### GENERAL REFERENCE WORKS

"Louis XVII, a Bibliography," by William W. Wight, Boston, 1915. Gift of Mr. WILLIAM W. WIGHT.

"A History of Banking in the United States," by John Jay Knox, revised by Bradford Rhodes and Elmer H. Youngman, New York, 1905. The gift of Hon. FRANKLIN MACVEAGH.

"Reminiscences of James A. Hamilton; or, Men and Events, at home and abroad, during three-quarters of a century," by James A. Hamilton. New York: 1869.

"The Fallen Brave. A Biographical Memorial of the American officers who have Given Their Lives for the Preservation of the Union," ed. by John Gilman. New York: 1861.

"Martyrs' Hill. The True Site of St. Ignace II. Restatement of Proofs, by Rev. Arthur Edward Jones, S. J." Montreal, 1915. Gift of REV. A. E. JONES, S. J., Montreal, Canada.

"Fashion in Paris: The Various Phases of Feminine Taste and Aesthetics from 1797 to 1897," by Octave Uzanne. London: William Heinemann; New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1898.

Two Early Children's Books: "Tales of Peter Parley about Africa," 2nd ed., Boston, 1831; "Peter Parley's Book of

Books," 2nd ed., New York, 1879. Gift of Miss SARAH F. MARSH.

Note. The second volume mentioned was purchased from Mrs. Marsh when a child by her father, the Rev. George Marsh, minister of the First Congregational Church, Indianapolis. On the flyleaf it is written "A. J. Marsh,  
Stockbridge, Wm. Tarr."

## MUSEUM ACCESSIONS

### CHICAGO PORTRAITS

"The Alumnae and Associate Alumnae of Dearborn Seminary, 1854-1906. Photographs from the Studio of Wm. Louis Kochne. To the memory of Zwinglius Givens, Principal of Dearborn Seminary for Thirty Years this book is affectionately dedicated." MR. WILLIAM L. KOCHNE.

Robert H. Clarkum. *Steel engraving*. Gift of Miss ISABEL O'BRIEN.

Samuel Stone, 1866. *Photograph, carte-de-visite*, by C. H. Laddridge, 109 Lake Street, Chicago. Gift of Miss JULIA LADDIGE.

Note. Col. Stone was Associate Secretary of the Chicago Historical Society, 1887-92 and 1896-98.

General Anton Stager. *Portrait in oils* by Gerard Barry. The gift of Mrs. FRANK GORTON (Louise Stager).

Mr. Sarah A. Mitchell, née Sarah A. Hamilton. *Photograph*, Chicago, Robert F. Hopper. Gift of Mr. HENRY E. HAMILTON.

Note. Mrs. Sarah A. Mitchell was a daughter of Violati J. Hamilton.

Benjamin Franklin Haddock. *Minature*. The gift of Mrs. BENJAMIN F. HADDOCK.

Note. Benjamin F. Haddock was born in Franklin, N. H., 1809; died in Chicago, Dec. 29, 1871, where he had come three years before. He was a brother of C. H. Haddock.

Sherwood, William H. *Brace's bust* by Lorador泰特. The gift of FRIEND and PUPIL.

### CHICAGO VIEWS AND RELICS

"The First House in Chicago: Home of John Kinney, 1838." *Drawing in black and white*, by Earl H. Reed, 1916. Gift of the ARTIST.

Residence of Dr. Charles Volney Dyer, North Clark Street and Diversey Avenue. *Photograph*. The gift of MRS. STELLA DYER LORING and MRS. ANDREW HELLS.

### MUSEUM ACCESSIONS

The City of Chicago as it was Before the Great Conflagration of October 8th, 9th & 10th, 1871. *Colored Lithograph* (framed) c. 1872 by Wm. Flint. Gift of MR. FREDERICK W. DAU, through Mr. J. J. DAU.

"The Burning of Chicago." *Colored lithograph*, published by *Carrier & Ives*, 152 Nassau St., New York. The gift of DR. O. L. SCHMIDT.

Old Lake View Homes. *Photograph*. The gift of MR. A. W. WATRISS.

Commercial Token: U. S. Five Cent Postage Stamp encased in circular frame. Reverse of frame reads: "Tremont House, Chicago, Gage Brother & Drake, Prop. Pat. Aug. 12, 1862, J. Gault." Gift of Miss HELL V. DRAKE.

Model of First Lake Street Bridge, made by Munson Dean. The gift of DR. O. L. SCHMIDT.

*Note.* Andreas states that float draw bridges were constructed at Clark Street in 1840 and at Wells in 1846-7, and that piles were driven for the Lake Street Bridge in January, 1850.

Battalion Flag, 16 x 28 feet in size, under which many companies of the 18th Illinois or "Railway Regiment" were recruited at Chicago, August, 1862. Gift of MR. JOHN MCKINZIE.

*Note.* It is said that the money to purchase this flag was contributed by men in the car shops of the Railroad Companies of Illinois, Mr. McKim's father being one of the contributors.

Piece of the flag of the 19th Illinois Regiment, carried in the Civil War, by Daniel F. Bremer. Gift of MRS. WILLIAM H. CHRISTIAN.

*Note.* Mr. Christian who was a member of the 19th Illinois Infantry and a member of the Cairo Expedition had lived in Chicago the greater part of his life. He was a frequent and valuable correspondent of this Society. His widow writes, "At the request of my husband who died April 26, 1916, I am sending you the enclosed relics to be placed with your collections."

Relics of Taylor's Battery. Gift of Mr. CHARLES F. JACKSON.

Note. Relics sent to me by Charles F. Jackson of Taylor's Battery, Chicago, at the behest of Mrs. Dutton, Feb. 14, 18, 19. The mat, striped in the middle, is known to me to represent the bunting used in the gunner's field, the horse being killed. The bales made by the gunners are marked with a cross. The cross was inscribed in Chicago, May, 1861, as the old Army's in Adams Street as follows: "C. F. Jackson, Company B, Chicago Light Artillery"; also "Guns Alike," and "for pig killing, etc."

Costume worn by Caroline S. Hilton (daughter of John C. and Lucinia E. Hilton) while a pupil in Mirasole's Dancing School, Wabash Avenue between Adams and Jackson Street, about 1868. Gift of Mrs. H. W. Booth (CAROLINE HILTON).

LINCOLNIANA

Black velvet coronet with white tulle-trimmed streamers, black crepe gauze and black ribbon. Gift of Mrs. JAMES WOODFORD.

Note. Done with white diamonds were given at Prudential League's funeral, May 1, 1862, when thousands Chicago High School girls, representing the various plumed flowers on Lincoln's corona, as it stood on the catafalque in Park Row.

Emblems worn by William H. Christian at the funeral of Lincoln in Chicago. The gift of Mrs. WILLIAM H. CHRISTIAN, Stevenson, Texas.

Lincoln. *Original photograph by Haldor, 113 Lake Street, Chicago.* The gift of Miss ROSES COPPLES, a great-granddaughter of Alexander Hesler.

Note. The photograph was taken at Gettysburg in June, 1863, and was considered by friends of Mr. Lincoln to be the best of the Hesler portraits. 100,000 were distributed during the summer. (Mss. No. 28.)

Bust for Lincoln Monument, Kristiania, Norway, Paul Field, Sculptor, Chicago, 1914. *Photograph.* The gift of MRS. PAUL FIELD.

Abraham Lincoln. *Colored lithograph surrounded by scenes and episodes.* The gift of DR. O. L. SCHMIDT.

Abraham Lincoln. *Woodcut on India Paper,* after photograph by Fassett, Chicago, 1858. Gift of MR. JUDD STEWART.

"Lincoln and Hamlin," *hat band*. Black lettering on white linen. Loaned by Mr. GEORGE A. BAKER of South Bend, Ind.

Lincoln Campaign Medal. Obverse — Head of Lincoln, legend: "Abraham Lincoln, 1860"; Reverse — The Railsplitter, legend: "Progress, 1830." The gift of Miss S. Lockwood Brown.

#### GENERAL AMERICANA

A Piece of a Coat taken from a British Officer, who was killed at the Battle of Princeton, N. J., January 3, 1776. The gift of MRS. LYSANDER HILL, 171 E. Chestnut Street, Chicago.

*Note.* The coat has been in the possession of Capt. Linn's descendants since the battle.

Colonel William Augustine Washington, nephew of General George Washington. *Engraving* by Ste. Memin. The gift of DR. O. L. SCHMIDT.

"Father" John Dixon, the original settler of Dixon, Illinois. *Photograph*. The gift of MR. GEORGE C. DIXON.

"Father" John Dixon. *Photograph*, the Hintz Studio, Dixon, Illinois, from a daguerreotype of 1852. Gift of MR. HENRY S. DIXON.

Three Dollar Bill, issued by The Dixon Hotel Company, at Dixon's Ferry, Illinois, December 25, 1838. The gift of MR. WILLIAM BARGE.

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Lard Oil Lamp. Gift of MRS. ANZONETTA COTTON WHEELER, through Mrs. Thomas Winnett. Mrs. Wheeler was a descendent of the Cotton family of Massachusetts.

*Note.* These lamps were the immediate ancestors of candle and tallow candle making which ran through two small tubes at the top.

A Wooden Cradle. Gift of MRS. NELLIE SNIDER.

*Note.* The cradle was a present to the mother of the donor (Lucy Hale) when as the wife of Edward (under the, in 1801, left Galena, Ill., to make her home in Iowa. Her husband came from Canada to Illinois in 1849.

Stephen A. Douglas' Valise, bearing initials "S. A. D." The gift of Mr. EUGENE F. HOY, a nephew.

*Note.* It is known in Mr. Hoy's family that Senator Douglas carried in this valise the manuscript of his famous Compromise Bill, and that it later traveled with him during the Joint Debate and during the campaign of 1860.

Cane made from wood from the library of Henry Clay's home "Ashland," near Lexington, Kentucky. The gift of Mr. MILWARD ADAMS.

*Note.* The cane was made by H. Kavanaugh McLeod of Lexington (for whom the home was built) and presented to General Lewis Adams, the father of the donor, about 1888. Hence the inscription "H. K. M. to S. L. M."

Indian Head-dress. *Parrot-feather bridle.* Gift of Mr. WILLIAM A. PERINSON, 30 N. La Salle Street, Chicago.

*Note.* Black Hawk wore this type of head-dress on the famous portrait of him in the Indian Gallery of the War Department.

A feather from "Old Abe," the Civil War Eagle. Gift of Mrs. WM. H. CHRISTIAN.

Sword carried by Lieutenant Frederick W. Young throughout the Civil War. The gift of Mrs. FREDERICK W. YOUNG.

Respectfully submitted,  
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